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INDIGO LAUNCHES 'LITE FARE' FOR FLYERS WITH ONLY CABIN BAGGAGE

IndiGo has introduced an entry-level 'Lite' fare for passengers travelling on both domestic and international flights with only cabin baggage

AVAILABLE WHEN BOOKING DIRECTLY WITH AIRLINE

Lite fare can be availed when booking tickets directly with the airline including the website, mobile application and contact centre. The low fare option will be applicable for both domestic and international non-stop routes for adult and child passengers, the airline said in a statement. It will be available only for economy class passengers | P15

WEEKS AFTER AIR INDIA'S 'BASIC FARE' LAUNCH

- "Customers will enjoy a lower base price with an auto-assigned seat at no additional cost, and a cabin bag allowance of up to 7 kgs," the airline, operated by InterGlobe Aviation, said in a statement
- It comes weeks after Tata Group's Air India introduced its own basic fare, where it gave the option to opt out from complimentary meal

2,100

FLIGHTS OPERATED DAILY BY INDIGO, WHICH IS INDIA'S LARGEST AIRLINE

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Mbappe show in NYNJ

At the rate Les Bleus are going, the others may as well stop bothering right now. Against Sweden, they dazzled with Kylian Mbappe adding two more goals to his tally. He's now level with Lionel Messi with six. Michael Olise also sparkled with two more assists

MEXICO BREAK KNOCKOUT CURSE

In front of a heaving Azteca, Mexico were all over Ecuador like a rash and scored the goals to take them to the last 16. It was their first knockout win at the World Cup in 40 years and the residents emptied out on to the streets to celebrate the landmark. With them playing the last 16 game also at the Azteca, there's promise of more glory

Kane and able England survive Congo

Harry Kane scored two second-half goals to help England rally for a 2-1 win over DR Congo and a spot in the round of 16 on Wednesday. England's all-time leading scorer and captain helped team to evade one of the biggest upsets in World Cup after trailing in first half | 17

TODAY'S MATCHES: Spain vs Austria: 12.30 AM*, Portugal vs Croatia 4.30 AM*, Switzerland vs Algeria 8.30 AM* (IST Friday)

Bill to axe arrested CM may be back

Controversial Constitution Amendment Bill may figure in the Monsoon session

Legislative priority

Apart from the bill to disqualify PMs, CMs and ministers, the govt is expected to accord priority to a limited number of other bills during the Monsoon Session, including the Women's Reservation Bill, indicating a focused legislative agenda on major policy initiatives

Opposition boycott

Members of main Opposition parties like the Congress, Trinamool Congress, SP, DMK and the Left boycotted the panel. However, the NCP (Sharad Pawar), AIMIM and other fence-sitters such as the BJD, YSRCP and SAD participated in the committee

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

THE contentious 130th Constitution Amendment Bill on disqualifying prime ministers and chief ministers could be back in Parliament as its vetting by a Joint Parliamentary Committee (JPC) is about to be over. The government is said to be keen on piloting the bill that was first introduced last year, for possible passage in the forthcoming Monsoon Session. The session is expected from July 20 but not later than July 27.

As per the proposed amendment, offices of the PM and CMs would automatically fall vacant if the incumbent remains in judicial custody for more than 30 days without bail. The government maintains that the measure is intended to strengthen accountability and reinforce public confidence in the holders of high constitutional offices.

Opposition parties, however, have expressed serious reservations, arguing that the proposal could have far-reaching constitutional and political consequences, particularly in cases where judicial proceedings remain unresolved. They have also questioned its compatibility with established constitutional principles, particularly the presumption of innocence till proved guilty.

The bill was referred to a 31-member JPC chaired by former IAS officer-turned-politician and BJP MP Aprajita Sarangi. The panel is expected to finalise its report before the Monsoon Session.

Led by the Congress, the Opposition boycotted the JPC, contending that participation would serve no meaningful purpose. The ruling NDA, however, rejected those objections and defended the JPC's functioning, arguing that the bill was the need of hour.

The bill is now expected to be tabled in the Lok Sabha. Sources indicated that it figures prominently in the legislative agenda for the upcoming session.

Re-NEET had 2 lakh fewer candidates than first exam

S LALITHA @ New Delhi

MORE than two lakh students who took the May 3 NEET-UG did not appear for the subsequent retest held on June 21, according to the National Testing Agency's initial estimates.

A total of 22,05,035 candidates appeared for the first exam, while the retest had about 20 lakh candidates, a 9% dip. The National Testing Agency (NTA) officials said the exact figures are being compiled.

Meanwhile, as many as 21 students took their lives in the period between the first test and the retest.

Experts in the field of education pointed to the mental trauma of the paper leak and a lack of trust in the examination process owing to the leak.

Sources at the NTA, however, cited changed circumstances or practical reasons.

"A good number of aspirants also take up the JEE examination (decider for engineering colleges) and the JEE-Advanced exam for admission into IITs. If they did well in it, they could have decided to give up on the medical dreams," an NTA source said.

A few aspirants also apply to institutions abroad and could have decided to opt out, as studying abroad is viewed by most Indians as very prestigious, the source added. Another source said, after the answer keys of the original exam were released on May 6, some aspirants may have felt that they are just not cut out for this kind of strenuous exam. P11

BE READY PAY MORE

K'taka cabinet to decide on bus fare hike today

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THURSDAY'S cabinet meeting chaired by Chief Minister DK Shivakumar is likely to take a decision on the hike in fares of state-run buses. BMTC has proposed a 44 per cent hike and KSRTCs have sought 33 per cent hike, claiming they were incurring loss of Rs 40crore every month.

Transport Minister Byrati Suresh said that since fuel prices, especially diesel, have increased four times in the past five months, a fare hike is inevitable. "Officials were calculating how much should be hiked. However, the fare needs to be increased in a way that does not cause much loss to loss-making transport corporations, and also does not burden the common man," he stated. He said he would put forth the proposal before the Chief Minister and his cabinet colleagues at the meeting for a decision.

He informed that payment of Rs 5,500crore is outstanding for Road Transport Corporations due to the Shakti guarantee scheme, and hoped that CM Shivakumar would release the amount at the earliest. Similarly, the decision to release salary arrears of employees of the corporations will also be taken after reviewing the financial situation, the minister said.

Monsoon session

The cabinet is also likely to decide on conducting the joint monsoon session of legislature in the third week of July. It would be Shivakumar's maiden session as CM. Issues of scanty rainfall affecting sowing, and the impending drought situation are likely to be discussed.

Toddlers abused at IT firm daycare, FIR against 5 women

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@ Bengaluru

IN a horrific incident, toddlers were allegedly subjected to physical abuse at a daycare centre located inside an IT company campus in HAL police limits. The caregivers allegedly placed children inside a washing machine, sprayed water into their mouths using toilet jet sprays, and locked them inside a washroom for crying or creating a disturbance.

According to the FIR registered at HAL police station on June 29, based on a complaint filed by an official of the District Child Protection Unit, Bengaluru East, the incident occurred at Society General Baby Care, a daycare facility operating on the Capgemini Technology Services India campus in Brookefield, where employees of the IT company leave their children during working hours.

The complaint stated that the Child Helpline received videos allegedly showing children being subjected to mental and physical abuse by daycare caregivers Manjula, Vijayalakshmi, Bhavani, Sindhu and Bindu. It is alleged that whenever the children cried or created a disturbance, the caregivers intimidated them by placing them inside a front loading washing machine, making them sit inside a Western-style toilet commode, forcefully spraying water into their mouths using the health faucet, locking them inside bathrooms, and subjecting them to other forms of physical abuse. According to the videos, more than 15 toddlers aged between two and four years were present at the daycare. The videos show children crying while the caregivers allegedly threaten them and lock them inside a washroom.

HAL police registered the FIR against the daycare incharge and four caregivers under the provisions of the Juvenile Justice (JJ) Act.

Police are questioning the accused women and verifying the authenticity of the videos, when the incidents occurred, and how many children were subjected to similar abuse.

A video grab of a toddler locked inside a bathroom at the daycare centre

Cooperating with probe, says Capgemini

Global IT services major Capgemini stated that it was fully cooperating with authorities and assisting with the investigation. "Capgemini's foremost priority is the health, safety and wellbeing of its employees and their families. We are cooperating fully with the relevant authorities and assisting them in their efforts to establish the facts," the company said in a statement. As a precautionary measure, Capgemini said it will temporarily shut down the daycare centre till further clarity emerges.

FREED AFTER 8 HRS

A 22-year-old tusker, which got stuck in a rail barricade at Mugguru forest in the Cauvery Wildlife Sanctuary near Kanakapura, was rescued by forest officials after an eight-hour operation on Wednesday. The elephant was trying to enter Muneshwara Betta from Mugguru when it got caught in the rail barricade | P2

Road accident cases: SC firms up ITR yardstick for compensation

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY
@ New Delhi

IN an attempt to bring uniformity in motor accident compensation cases, the Supreme Court on Wednesday framed guidelines for determining annual income of the deceased or injured claimants based on their income tax returns (ITR).

"ITRs are statutory records and carry a presumption of correctness. In case of salaried individuals, income does not fluctuate significantly, making the latest ITR the most accurate reflection. For self-employed persons, earnings vary, so a three-year average ensures a realistic assessment," said a two-judge bench of justices Sanjay Karol and N Kotiswar Singh.

The bench observed that while no straitjacket formula can be fixed for computing income under the Motor Vehicles Act, a distinction must be drawn — in these accidental claims cases — between the salaried employees and self-employed persons when relying on ITRs for compensation.

The verdict came on an appeal by an insurance firm challenging a high court order that had fixed the deceased's income by picking the highest ITR from the last five years. Disapproving the method, the bench said selecting the highest return in isolation would result in inflated awards and unfairly burden insurers.

The court further said tribunals could deviate from ITRs if a particular year reflected exceptional income due to one-time gains or abnormal losses. Where ITRs are not filed, it said, courts may rely on Form 26AS, bank statements or salary slips, but must record reasons for doing so. The bench also said fluctuation in income of self-employed victims needs to be factored in.

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HIGHER IMPORT REVENUE BUOYS JUNE GST NUMBERS

GST collections rose 14% year-on-year to ₹1.95 lakh crore in June on the back of higher tax mop-up from imports as well as domestic supplies. GST revenues were over ₹1.94 lakh crore in May this year and ₹1.71 lakh crore in June 2025 | P15

EXPRESS READ

2 kids among 3 killed as wall collapses in M'luru

Mangaluru: Three people, including two children and a woman, died when a 15-foot retaining wall collapsed on a row of tiled-roof houses at Nagori in Kankanady, Mangaluru, in the early hours of Wednesday, following incessant rainfall. Six people were pulled out from the rubble, but three had succumbed to their injuries | P5

Pawar Sr begins merger talks with both Cong, BJP

Mumbai: Sharad Pawar has opened parallel talks with both the Congress and the BJP-led National Democratic Alliance (NDA) as his NCP (SP) battles internal divisions amid alleged poaching of Opposition MPs and MLAs in Maharashtra. Sources said five MPs favour joining Deputy Chief Minister Eknath Shinde, while the remaining want to align with the BJP-led NDA | P12

WEAK MONSOON

Water level in Almatti, Narayanpura reservoirs hits rock bottom

FIROZ ROZINDAR @Vijayapura

WATER level in the Almatti and Narayanpura reservoirs, the primary lifeline for drinking water and irrigation in North Karnataka's five districts, has fallen drastically, raising fears of a severe drinking water crisis by the end of July if the monsoon does not pick up.

The reservoirs supplying water to Vijayapura, Bagalkot, Yadgir, Kalaburagi and Raichur districts are witnessing critically low storage levels due to poor rainfall in the Krishna River basin.

During the corresponding period last year, both reservoirs were more than half full, prompting authorities to release lakhs of cusecs of water downstream as a precautionary measure. This year, however, the reservoirs are nearing dead storage levels with virtually no inflow, creating concern among officials and residents alike.

The Almatti reservoir, which has a total storage capacity of 123.081 tmcft, currently holds only 20.902 tmcft, of which only 3.282 tmcft can be used. The remaining is considered dead storage.

Officials attributed the drop in water level to inadequate rainfall in both the Upper Krishna basin in Karnataka and the Western Ghats region of Maharashtra. Despite the onset of the southwest monsoon more than a month ago, inflow into the Almatti reservoir has remained almost nil. P4

Almatti dam currently holds only 20.902 tmcft against its capacity of 123.081 tmcft

Contingency plan to tackle drought

Belagavi: Deputy Chief Minister Dr G Parameshwara said Karnataka has prepared a comprehensive contingency plan to tackle a possible severe drought if the southwest monsoon remains weak in July. To meet emergency requirements, the state has already placed Rs 5 crore in the Personal Deposit (PD) account of every district exclusively for drinking water supply. Additional funds will be released wherever necessary, he added | P4

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ALMANAC TODAY
• Thursday: 02.07.2026 • Year: Parabhava • Ayana: Uttharayana
• Ritu: Greeshma • Masa: Nija Jyeshta • Paksha: Krishna • Tithi: Dwitheeya 7.38 am
• Nakshatra: Uttharashada 8.22 am • Moon in Kumbha Rashi • Rahukaala: 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm
• Gulikakala: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm • Yamaganda: 07:30 am to 09:00 am

WEATHER
MIN 21°C | MAX 27°C
FORECAST
Passing showers. Overcast

Sunrise 05.57 am
Sunset 06.50 pm
Moonrise 08.47 pm
Moonset 07.42 am

Greater Bengaluru Authority workers remove signboards, foodcarts and other types of encroachments that obstruct the movement of people on footpaths on Wednesday | EXPRESS, SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

GBA TAKES UP SAFE FOOTPATH DRIVE, CLEARS 75KM

Minister Byre Gowda leading the op; Hawkers seek alternative vending spots; Shops told to remove obstructions

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AMID a hue and cry by hawkers across five city corporations under Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA), a footpath encroachment clearance operation was initiated as part of the 'Safe Footpath Campaign' on major arterial and sub-arterial roads. As per the GBA, more than 75km of road was covered on the first day of the operation.

While hawkers have been visiting the GBA head office in batches to convince the authorities, the encroachment clearance operation was conducted on major roads with the aim of providing safe, smooth and uninterrupted pedestrian movement.

The officials began to act swiftly only after standing instructions from Bengaluru Development Minister Krishna Byre Gowda, who stated that around 300 pedestrian deaths in Bengaluru are due to unsafe footpaths.

Municipal officers/staff, with police security, using bulldozers, tractors and other vehicles, removed all types of encroachments on footpaths, including nameplates, stairs, OFC cables, sheets installed on shops, construction waste, pushcarts, permanent boxes, temporary sheds, unauthorised iron structures, etc., that obstruct the movement of the public.

The GBA has also appealed to shop owners, commercial establishments, private institutions and street vendors in all five city corporations to voluntarily clear encroachments on footpaths. If encroachments are not removed voluntarily, a clearance operation will be conducted as per rules, and legal action will be taken if necessary.

The minister, who is managing the drive at the macro level, said, "Every resident of Bengaluru has the right to safe and obstruction-free footpaths. I appeal to citizens, traders, commercial establishments and all stakeholders to join hands with the city administration in keeping our footpaths free from encroachments. This should not remain merely a government campaign; it must become a people's movement driven by public participation."

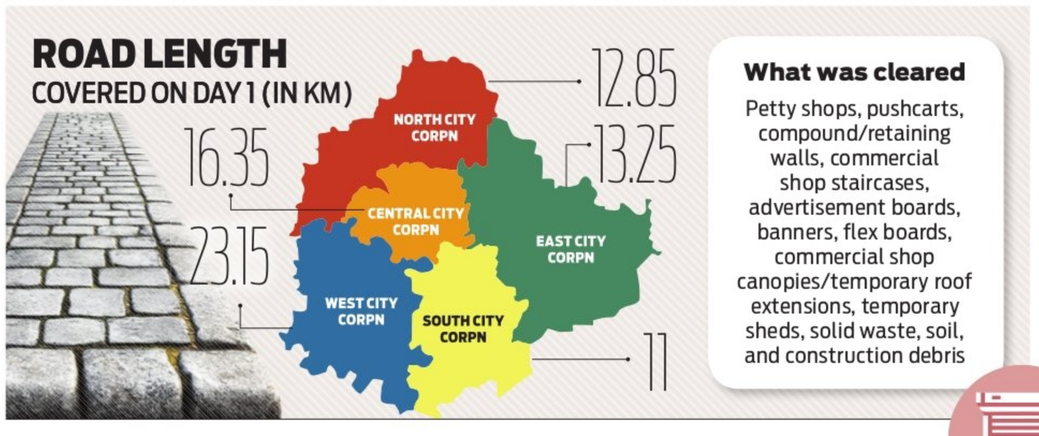
He reiterated that the government remains equally committed to protecting the livelihood of street vendors. "Except on approximately 20 per cent of priority arterial roads, vending can continue on other roads, provided pedestrian movement is not obstructed."

Simultaneous drive

The campaign was simultaneously carried out across major roads in all five city corporations, including key stretches in Marathahalli, Varthur, ITPL Main Road, Outer Ring Road, Indiranagar, Jayanagar, Koramangala, HSR Layout, JP Nagar, Yelahanka, Hebbal, Banaswadi, Tumakuru Road, Mysuru Road, Rajajinagar, Govindarajanagar, Bull Temple Road and several other high-footfall locations. The operation covered around 75km on the first day of the initiative, said a senior GBA official.

However, the vendors were unhappy, and stated that they were evicted all of a sudden and not given any choice. Some hotel owners in Katriguppe argued over the logic behind destroying steps leading to the hotels, instead of giving hotel owners the option to alter them.

In Kalasipalya, vendors appealed to the GBA to stop the operation, and provide an alternative location before resuming the clearance drive. In Malleswaram, footpath hawkers said many of them are educated, and making a living on the footpath since there are no jobs.


ROAD LENGTH
COVERED ON DAY 1 (IN KM)
NORTH CITY CORPN
CENTRAL CITY CORPN
EAST CITY CORPN
WEST CITY CORPN
SOUTH CITY CORPN
12.85
13.25
16.35
23.15
11
What was cleared
Petty shops, pushcarts, compound/retaining walls, commercial shop staircases, advertisement boards, banners, flex boards, commercial shop canopies/temporary roof extensions, temporary sheds, solid waste, soil, and construction debris

Bengaluru North AC fined ₹75,000 for RTI lapses

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THE Karnataka Information Commission has imposed a penalty of Rs 75,000 on the Assistant Commissioner of Bengaluru North Sub-Division, S Kiran, for failing to furnish information under the Right to Information (RTI) Act in three separate cases and for repeatedly remaining absent during commission hearings.

The Commission has also recommended departmental inquiry and disciplinary action against the officer.

State Information Commissioner Rudranna Harthikote of the Commission's Fourth Bench imposed a fine of Rs 25,000 in each case, observing that the officer had consistently failed to provide information sought by applicants and neither appeared before the Commission nor deputed a representative during hearings.

In one case, B Anjanamurthy of Gollahalli village in Dasanapura Hobli had sought records from the SDO's office on March 25, 2024. As no information was provided within the stipulated 30 days, he approached the Commission through a second appeal. The officer failed to attend the hearing, leading to the penalty.

In another case, J Rajendraraju of Kengeri sought information relating to Gavipuram Village in December 2024. The Commission directed the officer to lodge an FIR under the Karnataka Public Records Act, 2012 if the file was unavailable. However, the directions were not complied with. Apart from imposing a Rs 25,000 penalty, the Commission ordered Rs 5,000 compensation to the applicant.

In the third case, Chalapathi J of Whitefield sought land records pertaining to Pattandur Agrahara village in November 2024. The officer neither provided the information nor appeared before the Commission despite its directions.

The Commission directed to initiate disciplinary proceedings against the officer under the Karnataka Civil Services Rules and submit a compliance report. Separately, Commissioner Rudranna Hartikote has written to Chief Secretary Shalini Rajneesh seeking directions to ensure timely disposal of RTI applications across the Bengaluru district administration, stating that delay in providing information amounts to denial of justice.

CMRS directs BMRCL to probe Purple Line snag

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THE Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety (CMRS) has directed the Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation Ltd (BMRCL) to investigate all train service disruptions reported in the last three years following the June 23 Purple Line disruption.

In a letter dated June 29 in response to Bengaluru South MP Tejasvi Surya's representation, Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety and Commissioner of Metro Railway Safety (Southern circle), Janak Kumar Garg, said BMRCL was asked to examine similar train service disruptions reported over the past three years and conduct an audit of the effectiveness of its operational and maintenance systems.

The CMRS clarified that under the Metro Railways (Operation and Maintenance) Act, 2002, the commissioner is mandated to investigate only accidents involving loss of life or grievous injury and to inspect and authorise new Metro lines and rolling stock. However, the day-to-day operation, maintenance and safe, reliable functioning of the Metro system remain the responsibility of the Metro Railway Administration.

The directions came after concerns were raised over one of the major disruption in 16 years of Metro operations that lasted for nearly five hours on the Purple Line on June 23 which brought the underground section to a standstill due to a misalignment in the third rail system. The CMRS said the concerns highlighted by the MP of 20 incidents involving technical snags since January 2024 till June 2026 has been been noted, and BMRCL has been directed to identify the causes and implement appropriate corrective measures.

FREE AT LAST

Tusker trapped in barricade rescued in 8-hr op

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru

A 22-year-old tusker which got caught in a rail barricade at Mugguru forest in the Cauvery Wildlife Sanctuary (CWS) near Kanakapura was rescued by forest personnel on Wednesday.

The elephant was trying to enter Muneshwara Betta from Mugguru when it got caught in the rail barricade. The forest patches of Muneshwara Betta and Mugguru are part of the traditional elephant corridor connecting Karnataka and Tamil Nadu, and part of the Mysore Elephant Reserve notified in 2002.

Officials from the Mugguru range said they reached the spot after local farmers alerted them. All efforts to force the tusker to come out of the barricade failed. Another team was rushed to the spot to cut the railings and save the elephant.

"The tusker must have got caught in the barricade on Tuesday night or Wednesday morning. The exhausted animal was rescued after an eight-hour operation. A team of veterinarians examined it and administered IV fluids and nutrition supplements. The tusker did not suffer any internal injuries but had some external wounds caused while trying to get away from the barricade," said Jagannath NH, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Cauvery Wildlife Sanctuary.

A videograb of the tusker trapped in a rail barricade in Mugguru forest

A team of experts followed the tusker for around 2km after which drones were used to monitor its movement and health.

Forest officials said rail barricades are erected to prevent elephants from straying into human habitats from forests. But in this case, the tusker was moving from one forest patch to another.

The boundary is fragmented in such a manner that a portion of it leans towards the land cultivated by farmers. This forest patch connects Bannerghatta National Park with Mugguru, CWS, BR Hills, Bandipur Tiger Reserve and forests in Tamil Nadu. The forest patch houses a large number of elephants.

The forest department has erected the rail barricade for 7km without tentacle fencing. Due to this, the tusker was able to find space through it. The officials admitted that there have been instances of elephants crossing the barricade. But, this is the first incident of an elephant getting caught in the barricade in this region.

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) Kumar Pushkar said efforts are on to monitor the movements of elephants in CWS and measures have been taken to mitigate the man-animal conflict.

He said the rail barricade is outside the forest boundary and efforts are being made not to obstruct the movement of elephants along the corridor.

The tusker must have got caught in the barricade on Tuesday night or Wednesday morning. The tusker did not suffer any internal injuries but had some external wounds caused while trying to get away from the barricade — Jagannath NH, DCF, Cauvery Wildlife Sanctuary

103% PULSE POLIO COVERAGE IN GBA

THE National Pulse Polio Immunisation Programme that concluded across the five city corporations under the Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA) on Wednesday witnessed a record coverage of 103%, said Special Commissioner for Health and Welfare Venkatachalapathi. In a release, he said the programme, conducted from June 28 to July 1, was implemented successfully. Polio vaccination booths were established at urban primary health centres, Namma Clinics, maternity hospitals, urban family welfare centres, dispensaries, anganwadi centres and schools. In addition, mobile vaccination teams were deployed at crowded locations such as bus stands, railway and Metro stations and shopping malls.

CITY COVERAGE

CENTRAL	101.8%
EAST	102.9%
WEST	101.6%
NORTH	103.2%
SOUTH	104.7%
OVERALL	**103%**

Horoscopes By Holiday

HOLIDAY MATHIS

02nd July : The Breather Between the strawberry moon, the Mercury retrograde and a sign change for Mars and Jupiter, the astrological hits keep coming. Today is the rest station on the cosmic highway. Pull over! Sleep if you feel like it. The road is long, and the best travelers know when it's time to pause for a breather. You'll be glad you topped off the tank.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Don't worry about what's smart, cool or sophisticated. Warmth is the quality people really respond to now. A conversation doesn't have to be deep to be meaningful. You'll connect best through laughter and shared experience.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 - May 20)
We often judge people not by what they did, but by what we wish they had done. Before deciding someone has disappointed you, consider whether you're reacting to what they really did or to an expectation you had of them.

GEMINI (May 21 - June 21)
When someone is interested in you, you sense their attention and curiosity even when your reaction, or lack thereof, tells a different story. You like to hold your cards close to the vest while you decide how or whether to respond.

CANCER (June 22 - July 22)
Beautiful photographs can be lit by sunshine, softened by fog or shaped by shadow. Each reveals something different. You don't need circumstances to match one ideal. Because you're open to many forms of beauty, it's everywhere. You're living a beautiful life.

LEO (July 23 - Aug. 22)
Maybe things have gotten so convoluted you're inwardly asking, "How did I get here?" But that's a question for another day. Right now, any step that seems remotely aimed in your direction is the next one to take. Moving through this part will be simpler than it seems.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)
Your work has gravitas. Work with a strong point of view will have both fans and critics. The goal is not to be universally liked. The goal is to attract people who need what you offer and love how you offer it.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 - Oct. 23)
You're upholding a standard set by you, not by society. Circumstances may change, but your standard does not. It's not always easy to meet, but it's easy to remember because by now it's a part of you.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 21)
A familiar frustration points toward a familiar lesson. Consider the pattern. The slightest change will interrupt it. When things repeat, respond differently this time and see what happens. It's an experiment, not a comment on your identity.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)
You don't ask people to do anything you're unwilling to do yourself. That integrity strengthens your position and earns cooperation. If you can show them, even better. People are more likely to follow an example than a request.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 - Jan. 19)
There's something you need to understand on a deeper level, and a quick note won't get you there. Give the subject a full page. Writing doesn't just record your thoughts. It shows you what they are.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)
You've set a specific intention for your own development. Instead of waiting for life to challenge you, you'll challenge yourself, making it much more likely you'll grow in your preferred direction.

PISCES (Feb. 19 - Mar 20)
When you decline an offer, your kind instinct is to redirect, compliment and duck out, or any other move you think will let them down easy. But if they don't get the hint, just remember: The word "no" is a complete sentence.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle ⬇

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SUDOKU EVIL

TEST YOUR NUMBER CRUNCHING SKILL WITH OUR UNIQUE PUZZLE

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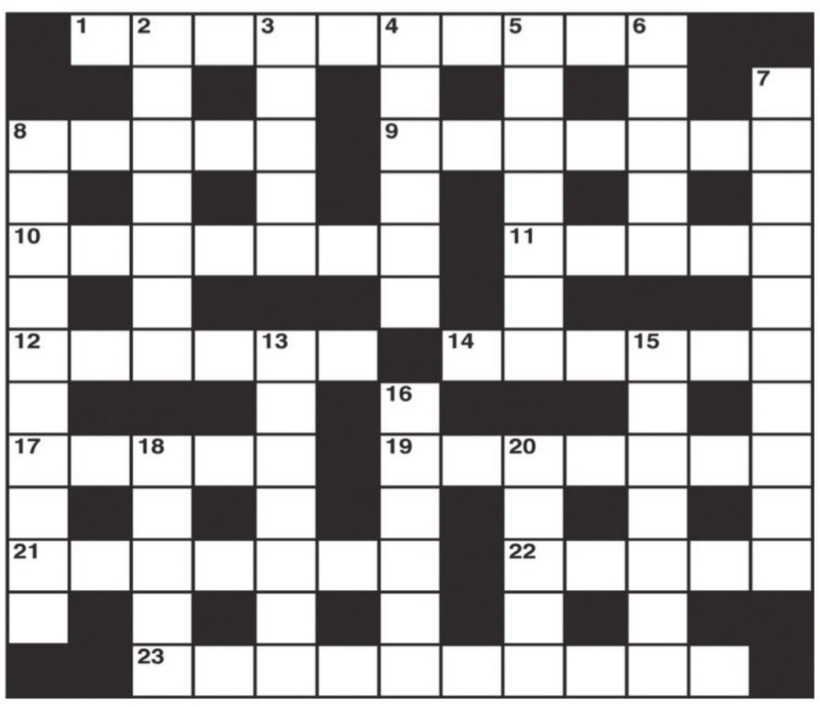

CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Theatre directors? (10)
8 Not intended to violate (5)
9 Bound to be against punishment (7)
10 Sound your horn with regret; that's a fact! (3,4)
11 One-man woman (5)
12 Make an appointment about four in case (6)
14 The man goes out in the country air (6)
17 Snake seen in summer? (5)
19 Simon is upset by this job (7)
21 The pictures added skill to the author's material (7)
22 Speeds back in these cars (5)
23 Share out is tried but as an alternative (10)

DOWN
2 Porter takes in work despite order to go on striking (4,3)
3 Keen to mature without hesitation (5)
4 He attacks the copper with acid (6)
5 One isn't put out by it but it's a strain (7)
6 She goes round in a radiant glow (5)
7 Settles but I need terms renegotiated (10)
8 Taking money out for retirement (10)
13 More than one kind of saviour (7)
15 A reduction in capital cover (7)
16 The object of his match is a draw (6)
18 A bit past it but still invited out (5)
20 Brush and clean thoroughly (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Errata, 4 Credit, 9 Theatre, 10 Idler, 11 Rayon, 12 Emerged, 13 Electricity, 18 Diarist, 20 Picot, 22 Ounce, 23 Orotund, 24 Tureen, 25 Tsetse.

Down: 1 Enters, 2 Reedy, 3 Titanic, 5 Raise, 6 Delight, 7 Tirade, 8 Desecration, 14 Learner, 15 Captors, 16 Adroit, 17 Stodge, 19 Irene, 21 Count.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

LWRDO
MGOEA
ITRELP
OMTBTO

What do you say we go for a walk instead of watching TV tonight?
But on Thursdays we always watch this show.
MAYBE THE REASON SOME PEOPLE WATCH TOO MUCH TV IS THAT THEY ARE ---
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: FORTY TWINE DUGOUT HANDLE
Answer: The submarine was brand-new, and the captain was anxious to — GET UNDERWAY

Steps would be taken to release funds announced for the proposed film city after consulting with Finance Department

DK Shivakumar, CM

FUNDING LEFT WING EXTREMISM

HC REFUSES TO QUASH FIR AGAINST TTI OPERATIVES

Accused conspired to channel Rs 92.55 cr to extremists in 3 states

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court refused to quash the First Information Report (FIR) against six persons for allegedly being part of an Indian network for conspiring with the USA-based Christian missionary, The Timothy Initiative (TTI), and funding Rs 92.55 crore to Left Wing Extremists (LWE) in Karnataka, Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand.

The case was registered by the Kothanur police in the city based on the information shared by the Directorate of Enforcement (ED).

The FIR states that the accused withdrew cash through various ATMs across India using several debit cards issued by USA-based Trust Bank.

Justice M Nagaprasanna on Wednesday dismissed the petitions filed by Micah Mark (A-2), R Jonathan Sushil (A-1), Ajit Mathai (A-3), residing in the city, Varghese Chacko of Chhattisgarh (A-4), Bablu Kurmi of Assam (A-5) and Supreme Joy (A-6), residing in Mysuru.

The activities stated in the FIR attract offences not merely under economic statutes, but also under Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act (UAPA), as the accused allegedly facilitate movement of foreign funds into Naxal-affected regions, thereby posing a threat to the sovereignty, territorial integrity, and internal security of the nation, the court observed.

The accused challenged the FIR under the various provisions of the UAPA and BNS registered on June 11, 2026, based on the complaint filed by the ED under Section 66(2) of the PMLA, following the search conducted from April 18 to 19 for suspected violations under the Foreign Exchange Management Act (FEMA) and Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act.

The search unearthed a network of financial operations linked to TTI. Between November 2025 and April 2026, Rs 92.55 crore were allegedly utilised in contravention of statutory regulations; between January 2024 and March 2026, withdrawals nearing Rs 44 crore were allegedly effected from states such as Karnataka, Chhattisgarh, Assam, etc., using the international debit cards issued by the Trust Bank, which were issued under a deceptively generic name "Santhosh Kumar" and were coded region-wise as NE-1, NE-2, Southern Region-1.

Micah Mark, a key person in the financial operations of TTI in India, was intercepted at the Kempegowda International Airport on April 18 while allegedly found in possession of 24 international debit cards. It was found that over 1,000 such debit cards were issued across India over the past few years, and funds were withdrawn using those cards in LWE-affected regions, including Dhamtari and the Bastar region of Chhattisgarh, which are naxalite-affected areas. After the search operation, the TTI Global portal www.ttiglobal.org also became inaccessible for Indian users, and the data maintained on the cloud has been deleted.

Ajit Mathai is alleged to have overseen the financial operations of TTI in India, while Jonathan is said to have supervised its overall operations. The remaining accused are alleged to have functioned as facilitators in ATM withdrawals and subsequent deployment of funds.

The counsels for the accused contended that proceedings initiated by the ED are in violation of the provisions of the PMLA, which do not empower it to communicate to any of the jurisdictional police for registration of a crime and the drastic and stringent provisions of UAPA are deliberately added.

CRUMBLING ROAD

The damaged stretch of Mysore Road near Nayandahalli has been causing slow-moving traffic and posing a danger to motorists for the past couple of months | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

KRV activists damage Hindi signboard, booked

ENS @ Bengaluru

JALAHALLI police have registered an FIR against activists of Karnataka Rakshana Vedike (KRV) for allegedly vandalising a Hindi signboard near Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL) Circle. The activists damaged the Hindi signboard of BEL before bringing it down on Tuesday evening, claiming that it was installed illegally. They protested against the alleged "imposition of Hindi" on Kannadigas. They said Kannada should be given priority in Karnataka and asserted that they would oppose any attempt to promote or impose Hindi.

The FIR was registered on Wednesday. "Around 15 KRV activists, including women, damaged the signboard during the protest. They disturbed peace and damaged public property," said a police officer.

EXPRESS READ

Five held for stabbing MLA's associate

BENGALURU: The Tilaknagar police have arrested five people for allegedly stabbing a man, who is said to be a close aide of a city MLA, over an old rivalry. The incident took place near a drinking water plant at Marenahalli Junction on June 24. The accused are identified as Ravi, Balaraj, Puli, Vishnu and Shankar, all aged between 40 and 45. According to the police, the victim, Somashekhar Reddy, who runs a drinking water plant in Tilaknagar, and Balaraj had an old rivalry. On June 24, Balaraj and his associates arrived near the water plant and stabbed him and fled. Passersby rushed injured Reddy to a nearby hospital.

3 held for threatening witness in Renukaswamy murder case

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

THE Kamakshipalya police have arrested three persons for allegedly threatening a witness in the Renukaswamy murder case. Surprisingly, one of the three arrested in the case is also a witness. The three accused are Puneeth, Suhas and Venu.

Puneeth is the owner of the SUV in which Renukaswamy's body was shifted from the shed in RR Nagar to the stormwater drain in Kamakshipalya. After the police seized the SUV, Puneeth was one of the witness. He is also said to be the admin of a Facebook page of actor Darshan. The other two accused are members of one of Darshan's fan club.

The trio had reportedly threatened Sandeep, who is a witness, through WhatsApp calls. Sandeep told the court hearing the murder case about the alleged threats asking him to depose. On Tuesday, the court issued a warning against any attempt to influence the witnesses during the trial.

Renukaswamy, a chemist from Chitradurga, was kidnapped and murdered at a shed in RR Nagar on June 8, 2024. Darshan, who is accused number 2, is in judicial custody. Accused number 1 Pavithra Gowda is also in jail.

Man snatches Rs13K from bunk attender, flees after fuel refill

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

A MISCREANT snatched Rs 13,000 in cash from the hands of a petrol bunk attender after filling diesel worth Rs 2,000 in his car. The incident happened at an Indian Oil Petrol Bunk near Kadumane Cross in Bidadi in broad daylight on Monday. The accused, while diesel was being filled in his car, told the attender that his UPI was not working and he had asked a friend to send cash to the bunk's QR code. He had kept the car's ignition on. When the attender was filling fuel into other vehicles, the accused snatched the cash that was in her hand and escaped.

According to a complaint filed by the attender, 30-year-old Usha, a resident of Sheshagirihalli in Bidadi, the accused had come to the bunk in a red car around 4.40 pm. After parking the car in the bunk, he went to the washroom. After 10 minutes, he came near the car and filled diesel for Rs 2,000. Claiming that his UPI was not working, he took the photo of the bunk's scanner saying that he will be sending it to his friend to send the money. He escaped after snatching Rs 13,000 in cash that was in the complainant's hand.

"The accused is said to be aged around 30 years. His car had a Kerala registration number. The complainant claims that she did not see the car's complete registration number. He spoke to the complainant in Malayalam and English. We are checking the CCTV footage of the bunk," said an officer.

FOCUS FEATURE

India's Semiconductor Revolution for Technological Self-Reliance

A National Mission for the Future

Semiconductors are the foundation of today's digital economy, powering everything from smartphones and electric vehicles to artificial intelligence, defence systems and advanced communications. Recognising their strategic importance, India has launched an ambitious national programme to build indigenous semiconductor capabilities and reduce long-standing dependence on imports. This marks a decisive step towards technological sovereignty and economic self-reliance.

Building the Ecosystem

The launch of the India Semiconductor Mission 1.0 marked a paradigm shift in India's industrial policy. With a mission-mode approach, it sought to develop the complete semiconductor value chain, from chip design and fabrication to advanced packaging, assembly, testing and critical components. Backed by a structured incentive framework, the initiative has attracted investments exceeding ₹1.64 lakh crore, laying the foundation for a robust domestic semiconductor ecosystem.

From Vision to Reality

India has already witnessed significant progress. Commercial production has commenced at Micron Technology's facility in Gujarat, while major projects by Tata Electronics, Tata-PSMC and Kaynes Semicon are advancing rapidly. The Design Linked Incentive Scheme has supported indigenous chip design, leading to successful tape-outs, patents and the training of specialised engineers. Complementing these efforts, advanced PCB manufacturing projects in Jewar, Uttar Pradesh, will strengthen domestic production of critical electronic components and reduce import dependence.

The Next Phase

Building on these achievements, the India Semiconductor Mission 2.0 expands the country's focus beyond manufacturing to semiconductor equipment, specialty materials, advanced packaging, research infrastructure and indigenous intellectual property. Announced in the Union Budget 2026–27, this next phase aims to deepen capabilities across the semiconductor value chain and create a globally competitive ecosystem.

Securing India's Technological Future

India's semiconductor mission is more than an industrial initiative. It is a strategic investment in national security, innovation and economic resilience. By combining policy support, global partnerships and domestic capability building, India is steadily emerging as a trusted participant in the global semiconductor supply chain while laying the foundation for long-term technological leadership.

As manufacturing capacities expand and indigenous technologies mature, the mission is expected to generate high-value employment, strengthen research and innovation, enhance resilience across critical sectors and position India as a global hub for semiconductor manufacturing and design. This transformative journey is shaping the country's long-term technological and economic future.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE: CLOSURE OF INOPERATIVE ACCOUNTS WITH ZERO BALANCE

This notice is a continuation of our earlier notices dated **03-06-2026** and **18-06-2026**, directed to account holders whose accounts have remained Inoperative for the last **8** years, with no customer-induced transactions for the last **10** years, and maintain a Zero Balance.

To avoid closure, please reactivate your account by submitting updated KYC documents at your nearest Punjab & Sind Bank branch on or before **20.07.2026**. Accounts not activated by this date will be closed on or after **21.07.2026** without further notice.

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Website: www.ircon.org CIN: L45203DL1976GOI008171

e-Procurement Notice

e-Tender No.: IRCON/4024/Phase-II/CMRL-TRK-01/e- Tender/08 Dated: 01.07.2026

e-Tender in Two stage bid system is invited from bidders meeting qualifying requirements for the work of **"Supply & Installation of Lubricant applicator in sharp curves of radius less than 190 mt. on elevated corridor of Chennai Metro Rail Project- C4 - TRK – 01"**

Estimated Cost of Work	Rs. 1,16,82,000/-
Last Date & Time of e-Bid Submission	08.07.2026 15:00 hrs.

For further details, visit website **https://etenders.gov.in/eprocure/app.Corrigendum**, if any, would be hosted only on the website.

General Manager, Chennai Metro Rail Project, R.R. Residency, @113, 2nd Floor, Visalakshi Street, Devi Karumariamman Nagar, Valsaravakkam, Chennai- 600087 (M): 9596765811

CENTRAL RAILWAY
SOLAPUR DIVISION
MISCELLANEOUS P.WAY WORK

Divisional-Railway Manager (Works), Central Railway, Solapur on Behalf of President of India, invites e-tender from the reputed firms / contractor for the following works. **Tender Notice No.: 16-2026-SrDENC. Name of Work**: Miscellaneous P.way Work under SSE/Pway/ KWV(N) under ADEN/ KWV(BG) Subdivision for a period of two years. **Approximate Cost of work**: ₹ 4,36,45,011.18 **Earnest Money**: ₹ 8,72,900/-. **Completion period of the work**: 24 Months **Maintenance Period**: NA. **Last date & Time of uploading quoted tender on www.ireps.gov.in website**: 20.07.2026 upto 15:00 hrs. **Date & Time of Opening of tender on www.ireps.gov.in**: 20.07.2026 at 15:30 hrs. The prospective tenderers are advised to revisit the website frequently before the date of closing of tender to note any changes/corrigenda issued for this tender Website: **www.ireps.gov.in.**

Divisional Railway Manager (Works),
AK/Sur-36 Central Railway, Solapur

Unauthorized crossing of railway line is a punishable offense

PUBLIC NOTICE

This Notice is issued on behalf of My clients 1. Mr.Sadiq Anjum, S/o Shaik Meharuddin, and 2.Mrs.Fathima Membari W/o Sadiq Anjum to bring the notice of the general public that the original sale deed dated 14.10.2016 bearing doc No.KCH-1-03094-2016-17, Book-I, stored in CD No.KCHD213 and registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar Kacherakanahalli, Bangalore executed by Mr.Modi Shafee rep by his POA holders Mr.Syed Sadiq and Mr.Riyaz Khan in favour of 1.Mr.Sadiq Anjum S/o Shaik Meharuddin, and 2. Mrs.Fathima Membari W/o Sadiq Anjum is missing/lost/misplaced in respect of schedule property. If any, person / firm / institution / company having any claim or holding the afore mentioned document or schedule property, they may contact the undersigned in writing within **Seven (7) days** from the date of publication of this notice failing which it will be presumed that there are no claims.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of immovable residential property Site bearing No.60, Khata No.43, formed in Gramathana of Devarajeevanahalli, Bangalore North Taluk, now under the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No.61, and known as Modi Road 4th Main 3rd Cross, Devarajeevanahalli, Bengaluru-560045, measuring East to West 15-0 feet and North to South 25-0 feet, totally measuring 375 Sq.ft. and bounded on : **East by:** Private Property, **West by:** Private, Property, **North by:** Private Property, **South by:** Road

S S LAW CHAMBER
SURESH CHARMAGOL, Advocate
No.112, 7th Cross, Akshyanagar Main Road, Attur Layout, Yelahanka New Town, Bengaluru-560064. Mob: 9036462764.

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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR EMPANELMENT OF CIVIL CONTRACTORS

MRIDC has been entrusted with the mandate of planning, developing, and implementing critical infrastructure projects across the country, including railway lines, Road Over Bridges (ROBs), Road Under Bridges (RUBs), flyovers, cable-stayed bridges, station buildings, Rly. Staff Quarters and other infrastructure projects.

Accordingly, MRIDC is inviting Expression of Interest (EoI) / applications from interested Agencies for Empanelment / registration of Companies / Firms / Agencies as Civil Contractors for the work **"Construction of Road Over Bridges, Road Under Bridges and Limited Height Subways, Including Approaches, across Railway lines at various Level Crossing and Non-Level Crossing locations in the State of Maharashtra"**.

Interested Companies / Firms / Agencies may visit our official website **www.maharail.com** for the required Details / Information / Documents to be submitted to the CorporateOffice of MRIDC for the above-mentioned empanelment. Any corrigendum to this notice shall be hosted on our website only. Last date for receipt of Application / Document in the Corporate Office, Mumbai is **18.08.2026** before **15:00 hrs.**

Managing Director

BENGALURU CENTRAL CITY CORPORATION
Office of the Executive Engineer, Chickpet Division, No. 194, T. Mariappa Road, Siddapura, Bengaluru-11

No.: EE/CKPD/E-PROC/03/2026-27 Date: 01.07.2026

CORRIGENDUM-1

The Executive Engineer, Chickpet Division Office, had invited tenders on June 29, 2026, vide Tender No. EE/CKP/E-PROC/03/2026-27. Due to technical reasons, the schedule dates have been postponed as follows.

Calendar of Events: (1) Last date for uploading the filled tender document is **10.07.2026** upto **4:00 p.m. (2)** Date of Technical bid opening of tenders is on **13.07.2026** by **11:30 a.m. (3)** Date of Financial bid opening of tenders is on after Technical bid approved.

Sd/- Executive Engineer Chickpet Divison, BCCC

PUBLIC NOTICE – LOSS OF ORIGINAL TITLE DEED

This is to inform the General Public that my client **Mr. HARESH UDHAV BUXANI,** Son of Late Mr. Udhav Hiranand Buxani, residing at No.78, Mount Kellet Road, The Peak, Hong Kong, is the absolute owner of the property described below and has lost/misplaced the listed **Original Sale Deed** as mentioned hereunder.

LIST OF DOCUMENTS

Sl. No.	Property Details	Document Details
1.	Unit bearing **No.1**, Municipal **No.15-16/48,** situated on the **Eleventh Floor** in the multi-storied building known as **"VAYUDOOTH CHAMBERS"**, constructed over the **SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY**, admeasuring **1015 Square feet** of super built-up area along with **One Car Parking in the basement**, along with undivided **1015/65600** share, right, title and interest in the land comprised in the Schedule 'A' Property and the Office is bounded by - East: Open to sky towards Road; West: Rear Corridor and open area of Schedule 'A' Property; North: Open to sky towards Mahatma Gandhi Road and South: Office No.2 in Eleventh Floor.	Absolute Sale Deed, dated : 24.02.1993 bearing Document No.4190/1992-93.

SCHEDULE - 'A' PROPERTY

(Description of Entire Property on which the building 'VAYUDOOTH CHAMBERS' is constructed) ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL of property with building standing thereon and bearing **Municipal No.15 and 16** (portion of old composite property bearing No.42/A) situated at **Mahatma Gandhi Road, Bangalore** measuring in all about 1,390 square meters or 14,962 square feet and bounded as under: On the East : Trinity Church Road; West : Property No.17, Mahatma Gandhi Road; North : Mahatma Gandhi Road; South : Private Property;

The said document has been lost/misplaced and is not traceable in-spite of my client's best efforts. My client has also lodged an Online police complaint in this regard Vide Lost Report No.2276912/2026, Date: 27/06/2026, at Pulakeshi Nagar Police Station, Bengaluru. Any person having any claim, right, title or interest over the said document or the property described above is hereby called upon to inform the undersigned within 10 days from the date of this publication, failing which it shall be presumed that no such claim exists.

General Public is further informed that if anyone finds the aforesaid document, they should return it to the undersigned.

HITESH KUMAR JAIN, Advocate
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Place : Bengaluru
Date : 02/07/2026

PUBLIC NOTICE – LOSS OF ORIGINAL TITLE DEEDS

This is to inform the General Public that my client **Mrs. Reema Haresh Buxani** W/o Mr. Haresh Udhav Buxani, residing at No.78, Mount Kellet Road, The Peak, Hong Kong, is the absolute owner of the properties described below and has lost/misplaced the **Original Sale Deeds** as mentioned hereunder.

LIST OF DOCUMENTS

Sl. No.	Property Details	Document Details
1.	Office bearing **No.3**, Municipal **No.15-16/46**, situated on the **Tenth Floor** in the multi-storied building known as **"VAYUDOOTH CHAMBERS"**, constructed over the **SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY**, admeasuring **1185 Square feet** of super built-up area, along with undivided **1185/65600** share, right, title and interest in the land comprised in the Schedule 'A' Property and the Office is bounded by East: Open to sky towards Road; West: Rear Corridor and open area of Schedule 'A' Property; North: Office No.2 in Tenth Floor and South: Office No.4 in Tenth Floor.	Absolute Sale Deed, dated:18.09.1993 bearing Document No.1803/93-94.
2.	Office bearing **No.3**, Municipal **No.15-16/50,** situated on the **Eleventh Floor** in the multi-storied building known as **"VAYUDOOTH CHAMBERS"**, constructed over the **SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY**, admeasuring **1185 Square feet** of super built-up area with **One Open Car Parking**, along with undivided **1185/65600** share, right, title and interest in the land comprised in the Schedule 'A' Property and the Office is bounded by - East: Open to sky towards Road; West: Rear Corridor and open area of Schedule 'A' Property; North: Office No.2 in Eleventh Floor and South: Office No.4 in Eleventh Floor.	Absolute Sale Deed dated: 25.02.1993 bearing Document No.4192/92-93
3.	Office bearing **No.4**, Municipal **No.15-16/51,** situated on the **Eleventh Floor** in the multi-storied building known as **"VAYUDOOTH CHAMBERS"**, constructed over the **SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY**, admeasuring **1015 Square feet** of super built-up area with **One Basement Car Parking No.11**, along with undivided **1015/65600** share, right, title and interest in the land comprised in the Schedule 'A' Property and the Office is bounded by - East : Open to sky towards Road; West: Rear Corridor and open area of Schedule 'A' Property; North: Office No.3 in Eleventh Floor and South: Open to Sky in Schedule 'A' Property and Private Property .	Absolute Sale Deed dated: 24.02.1993 bearing Document No.4189/92-93

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ICICI Bank Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd Office Number 201-B, 2nd Floor, Road No. 1 Plot No-B3, WIFI IT Park, Wagle Industrial Estate, Thane (West)- 400604

The following borrower(s) has/have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest towards the Loan facility(ies) availed from ICICI Bank. The Loan(s) has/have been classified as Non-Performing Asset(s) (NPA).

A Notice was issued to them under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, at their last known addresses. However, it has not been served and are therefore being notified by way of this Public Notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Description of Secured Asset to be enforced	Date of Notice sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	M/s. Globesecure Technologies Limited/ Mr. Ragavan Rajkumar S/O. Mr. Rangachari Rajkumar/ Mr. Narayanasamy Saravanan S/o. Mr. Nagareddiar Narayanasamy/ Mrs. Sonam Ragavan W/o of Mr. Ragavan Rajkumar alias Mrs. Sonam Kale/ M/s. Globesecure Technologies Limited through its Directors/ 777705090216/ Office No. 902-903, B-Wing, Sagar Tech Plaza, Opp. Rubber Factory Andheri - Kurla Road, Sakinaka, Maharashtra Mumbai-400072	Property –1: Industrial Unit No. 403, 4th Floor, In Block No. A, In the Building Known as Platinum Springs Situated at MIDC Industrial Area, Taloja, Village Nawade, District Raigarh- 410208 Situated at Lying at Plot No. G-20 to G-24 Part-A, Plot No. G-20 to G-24 Part-B & G-19, of Sub-Registration District Panvel-2, Registration District Raigarh/ Admeasuring Carpet Area 1632 Square Feet/ Bounded By :- North - N.A./ South - N.A./ East - N.A./ West - N.A./ Property- 2: Industrial Unit No. 404, 4th Floor, In Block No. A, In the Building Known as Platinum Springs Situated at MIDC Industrial Area, Taloja, Village Nawade, District Raigarh- 410208 Situated at Lying at Plot No. G-20 to G-24 Part-A, Plot No. G-20 to G-24 Part-B & G-19, of Sub-Registration District Panvel-2, Registration District Raigarh/ Admeasuring Carpet Area 1632 Square Feet/ Bounded By :- North - N.A./ South - N.A./ East - N.A./ West - N.A./ Property- 3: Industrial Unit No. 405, 4th Floor, In Block No. A, In the Building Known as Platinum Springs Situated at MIDC Industrial Area, Taloja, Village Nawade, District Raigarh- 410208 Situated at Lying at Plot No. G-20 to G-24 Part-A, Plot No. G-20 to G-24 Part-B & G-19, of Sub-Registration District Panvel-2, Registration District Raigarh/ Admeasuring Carpet Area 1348 Square Feet/ Bounded By :- North - N.A./ South - N.A./ East - N.A./ West - N.A./ Property- 4: Industrial Unit No. 406, 4th Floor, In Block No. A, In the Building Known as Platinum Springs Situated at MIDC Industrial Area, Taloja, Village Nawade, District Raigarh- 410208 Situated at Lying at Plot No. G-20 to G-24 Part-A, Plot No. G-20 to G-24 Part-B & G-19, of Sub-Registration District Panvel-2, Registration District Raigarh/ Admeasuring Carpet Area 850 Square Feet/ Bounded By :- North - N.A./ South - N.A./ East - N.A./ West - N.A.	May 21, 2026 Rs. 4,97,55,360.00/-	03/04/ 2026

These steps are being taken for substituted service of Notice. The above borrower/s and/or guarantor/s (as applicable) is/are advised to make the outstanding payment within 60 days from the date of publishing this Notice. Else, further steps will be taken as per the provisions of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date: July 02, 2026
Place: Bangalore

Sincerely Authorised Officer
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POSTS OF THE DAY

DK Shivakumar @DKShivakumar

On Doctors Day, I extend my heartfelt appreciation to every doctor whose service embodies compassion, skill and selfless dedication

Siddaramaiah @Siddaramaiah

Newspapers must work fearlessly, intellectually, and impartially to reform Indian society, which groans under orthodoxy, superstitions, fanaticism, and caste-based exploitation

Monsoon weak, K'taka prepares contingency plan to tackle drought

State govt has already placed ₹5 crore in account of every district for drinking water supply

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Belagavi

KARNATAKA has prepared a comprehensive contingency plan to tackle a possible severe drought if the south-west monsoon remains weak in July, Deputy Chief Minister Dr G Parameshwara, who also holds the revenue portfolio, has said.

After chairing a high-level review meeting at Suvarna Vidhana Soudha in Belagavi on Wednesday, Dr Parameshwara warned that Karnataka could face an unprecedented water crisis if rainfall status does not improve. He said the State Government's immediate priority is to ensure drinking water for people and livestock.

To meet emergency requirements, the State Government has already placed Rs 5 crore in the Personal Deposit (PD) account of every district exclusively for drinking water supply. Additional funds will be released wherever necessary, he added.

The Deputy CM said that deputy commissioners have been directed to implement the state's drought action plan at the district level.

Dr Parameshwara noted that delayed rainfall has adversely affected sowing in several parts of Karnataka. Even if rains arrive in July, cultivation will be delayed, while continued monsoon failure could considerably worsen the drought situation, Dr Parameshwara added.

He also announced that pending land administration works, including Pauti, Phodi and other revenue record corrections, will be expedited and completed in a time-bound manner through greater use of technology.

Reviewing the Endowment Department, he directed officials to survey temple lands, complete boundary demarcation and remove encroachments on properties belonging to Category A, B and C temples. He said master plans would be prepared for major pilgrimage centres, while temple revenues should be utilised only for the development of the respective temples. Standard Operating Procedures will also be introduced to ensure transparency in temple administration, the Deputy CM added.

Highlighting the State Government's emphasis on sports, Dr Parameshwara said quality sports infrastructure would be developed across districts.

He also reiterated that 3% reservation for sportspersons has already been implemented in the Home Department, while 2% reservation will be provided in the ongoing recruitment of 72,000 government posts across various departments.

Deputy Chief Minister Dr G Parameshwara chairs a review meeting of the Revenue department at Suvarna Vidhana Soudha in Belagavi on Wednesday | EXPRESS

Low storage in dams worrisome

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Due to shortage of water in Almatti and Narayanpur dams, the government has given strict directions to officials to keep the water only for drinking purposes and remove all pumpsets that are drawing water illegally for irrigation. The present situation has also revived memories of the 2016-17 drought, when water from the dead storage of the Almatti reservoir had to be utilised, resulting in the death of aquatic animals. Apart from domestic consumption, major industrial units, including NTPC, may also face water shortage if inflows do not improve during July. D Basavaraj, chief engineer, Krishna Bhagya Jala Nigam Ltd (KBJNL), said the existing water stock in the Almatti reservoir is sufficient to meet the drinking water requirements only till the end of July. He cautioned that if the inflow does not commence soon, the region could face a challenging situation in the coming weeks.

MAKING A POINT

Hariprasad slams BJP, RSS, says they challenge principles of Constitution

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

KARNATAKA Pradesh Congress Committee (KPCC) president and MLC **BK Hariprsad** on Wednesday launched a scathing attack on the RSS and BJP accusing them of challenging the principles of the Constitution, democracy, secularism and the National Flag. Hariprasad said this while addressing the party's propaganda committee meeting in Bengaluru.

The Congress MLC said that if people understood even a small part of the history of India's freedom struggle, those supporting "khaki shorts and black caps" — a reference to the RSS — would reconsider their views. He, however, clarified that the Congress was not opposed to the RSS merely as an organisation, stating that opposition was directed only towards those who did not accept the constitutional values of the country. "They are not our enemies... they are fellow Indians. But anyone who undermines the Constitution, democracy, secularism and the National Flag must be opposed," he said.

Hariprasad added that the RSS would face no opposition if it genuinely followed Mahatma Gandhi's principle of Sarva Dharma Sama Bhava (equal respect for all religions) and respected the Constitution and the Tricolour. The Congress leader alleged that certain forces opposed the freedom movement before independence and continued to work against India's founding ideals after independence. He said it was the responsibility of the Congress to counter "violence, hatred and false narratives" and ensure that future generations inherited the values of democracy and harmony.

Highlighting India's development after independence, Hariprasad recalled the country's struggles with poverty, hunger and dependence on food imports. He credited the leadership of Jawaharlal Nehru and Indira Gandhi for initiatives such as the Green Revolution. He also pointed to India's achievements in milk production, vegetable output and the space sector, sarcastically questioning whether these accomplishments were due to Prime Minister Narendra Modi or the RSS.

The KPCC chief accused the BJP of moving in "reverse gear" and alleged that divisions based on caste and religion were being used for political gains. He claimed that social conflicts often affected Dalits and weaker sections, while powerful individuals escaped accountability.

Expressing his own religious identity, Hariprasad said, "I proudly call myself a Hindu. I follow the Hinduism of Mahatma Gandhi, Swami Vivekananda, Narayana Guru, Kanakadasa and Basavanna — not that of Golwalkar, Godse or Hedgewar." He warned that attempts to promote "one nation, one education, one leader and one religion" would weaken the pluralistic character of India. "Diversity is the soul of India," Hariprasad said.

QUESTIONS RAM MADHAV OVER INT'L MEETINGS

KPCC president BK Hariprasad questioned RSS leader Ram Madhav's international engagements, including his participation in discussions abroad, and raised questions about transparency after the "Operation Sindoor" military operation. He questioned Madhav's meetings in Colombo and London, including what he alleged secret discussions with a former Pakistani ISI Major General. Responding, Ram Madhav tweeted that the claims were a "totally wrong portrayal." He clarified that his participation was in the IISS Annual South Asia Dialogue, which included scholars and officials from several countries, including India, Sri Lanka, the US, UK, Afghanistan and Pakistan. He said it was not a Track-2 dialogue and that he only spoke at one session before leaving, accusing critics of creating a controversy around a non-issue.

'Will comply if govt makes registration mandatory'

ENS @ Belagavi

RESPONDING strongly to questions raised by Karnataka Home Minister Priyank Kharge over the registration and financial transparency of the RSS, senior RSS functionary Bharatkumar said the organisation would comply if the government made registration mandatory for all organisations through law. Addressing the RSS Chintan Manthan meeting in Belagavi, Bharatkumar, who is the RSS Pracharak for Karnataka, Telangana and Andhra Pradesh, said the existing legal framework does not require the RSS to obtain a separate registration. Drawing an analogy with a family, he said just as members of a household collectively manage expenses without registering the family as an institution, the RSS functions within the existing legal framework.

Bharatkumar said RSS neither solicits donations from industrialists, politicians nor the general public. He said volunteers contribute Guru Dakshina once a year as a mark of commitment to the organisation's ideals. "Every rupee received is properly accounted for and deposited into the RSS bank account the very next day. Not a single rupee is retained as cash," he said. "Only the amount required for a programme is collected, and every expenditure is documented," he said.

B'gavi to host RSS baithak

Belagavi is set to host RSS' annual Akhil Bharatiya Prant Pracharak Baithak from July 10 to 12, bringing together the organisation's top leadership and senior functionaries from across the country. RSS Sarsanghchalak Mohan Bhagwat will arrive in Belagavi on July 6 and stay in the city for 8 days.

CM seeks report on mining policy

ENS @ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister DK Shivakumar on Wednesday directed senior officers to formulate a rule regarding the minimum period within which mining should be started after getting the land in auction. During the review meeting with the senior officers of the Mines and Geology Department, he instructed officers to formulate rules after conducting a comprehensive study of the state's mining policy and the mining policies, rules and laws in other states.

The CM asked the officials what action has been taken against those who have acquired land through auction and kept it for years without starting mining. The CM directed the Mines Department secretary to prepare a report on the number of people who have received land for mining in the state, the current status and list of those who have not started mining, the reasons for that, the number of cases where forest permits are pending, and the reasons for it.

In 2025-26, the department achieved 98% of the revenue collection target by collecting Rs 8,845.39 crore, and in 2026-27, so far, Rs 1.164.11 crore has been collected. In 2025-26, 6,301 cases of illegal and unregulated mining have been detected, and cases have been registered. A fine of Rs 3,126 lakh has been collected, and 268 FIRs have been registered.

'HELLO CM'

CM DK Shivakumar interacts with residents of Ramanagara at his Home Office 'Krishna' in Bengaluru on Wednesday

Cross-voting continues to trouble BJP-JDS alliance

DEVARAJ B HIREHALLI @ Bengaluru

CROSS-VOTING by 11 National Democratic Aalliance (NDA) MLAs during the June 18 MLC polls continue to haunt the alliance partners — BJP and Janata Dal (Secular).

The BJP leadership has been maintaining that three of their legislators cross-voted and one vote was invalid. A fact-finding panel headed by BJP MLC CT Ravi mentioned the same in his report to the party high command, say sources.

Before that the Karnataka BJP president BY Vijayendra and Leader of Opposition in Assembly R Ashoka met BJP national president Nitin Nabin in New Delhi and gave their explanations.

Party insiders consider that one MLA each from Bengaluru, Gadag, Bidar and Koppal districts might have cross-voted.

The BJP high command has asked the state leadership to keep a close watch on these MLAs as they would join Congress ahead of 2028 Assembly polls. It also want other leaders to be groomed to be pitched against them in the respective assembly constituencies.

Meanwhile, the JDS leadership says four of its MLAs might have cross-voted and the remaining seven could have been from BJP.

Union Minister for Steel and Heavy Industries HD Kumaraswamy has spoken to Nitin Nabin in this regard, say JDS sources.

Kumaraswamy, however, has said that the MLC poll debacle is a closed chapter indicating that both the parties should move on to face the forthcoming local bodies polls including for the five city corporations under the Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA).

He is keen on holding the coordination committee meeting within two weeks to iron out the differences.

"Kumaraswamy is not bothered about the JDS MLAs who have cross-voted and will not initiate any action against them," a JDS leader told *The New Indian Express* adding that the BJP-JDS alliance will remain intact for assembly polls in 2028 and the Lok Sabha polls in 2029.

Meanwhile, political analysts, however, say that the -voting might be a ploy by those who wanted to strain the relationship between the NDA alliance partners.

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A JDS leader

POLITICAL THEATRE

Attack on Congress, SIR dominate BJP-RSS panel meet

BENGALURU: Leaders of BJP and RSS held a crucial coordination committee meeting here on Wednesday in view of the state Congress leadership intensifying its attack on them on various issues. The closed-door meeting for over four hours also discussed the Special Intensive Revision (SIR) and the initiatives to be taken as enumeration has started in Karnataka, according sources. The RSS pramukhs instructed BJP leaders and workers to take SIR seriously and monitor the process in all booths by setting up panels. They also asked them to be prepared to raise objections, if necessary, during the process, the sources said. It is learnt that the meeting also discussed the issue of Home Minister Priyank Kharge's letter to RSS chief Mohan Bhagwat, seeking details regarding the Sangh's registration. Strategies to counter Priyank and KPCC chief BK Hariprasad might have been worked out. The Congress raking up the alleged financial irregularities in Shri Ram Janmabhoomi Teerth Kshetra Trust to embarrass the BJP and RSS might have also been discussed. **ENS**

GRUHA LAKSHMI

Constitute SIT to probe irregularities: Ravi to govt

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

BJP MLC **CT Ravi** on Wednesday urged the State Government to constitute a Special Investigation Team (SIT) to probe alleged irregularities in the implementation of the Gruha Lakshmi scheme. Money was deposited into fake accounts and the bank accounts of dead beneficiaries, and was also mentioned in the CAG report, he said.

The BJP leader said Rs 5,000 crore under the scheme was not deposited into beneficiaries' bank accounts, and there is a possibility that the guarantee scheme funds could be siphoned off. Questioning the Congress government on whether it supports looting of funds meant to be deposited into beneficiaries' bank accounts, he asked why no FIR has been registered. Funds under the scheme were not deposited into the beneficiaries' accounts for two months, and the issue was discussed extensively in the state assembly, he said.

Ravi further slammed the State Government for imposing conditions for the guarantee schemes.

It takes principled professional to do fearless journalism: CM

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@ Bengaluru

CITING that fearless journalism was an extremely challenging task in today's world, Karnataka Chief Minister DK Shivakumar here on Wednesday said principled and professional approach was the only way to achieve that, and advised that media refrain from publishing inaccurate information.

Speaking after the inauguration of the Press Day celebrations organised by the Karnataka Media Academy and the Karnataka Working Journalists' Association, the Chief Ministerr said, "If journalists work in accordance with the principles, ethics, and conscience of the profession, it will benefit society."

He said the journalism profession needs to free itself from fake news.

Chief Minister DK Shivakumar being felicitated by Karnataka Media Academy president Ayesha Khanum in the presence of Information Commissioner MN Anucheth during Press Day celebrations in Bengaluru on Wednesday | EXPRESS

"I had gone to the hospital in the morning for a routine health check-up, but some TV channels broadcast said that I had been admitted to the hospital. This is completely false news," Shivakumar said.

"During the Mekedatu padayatra the media had highlighted an instance of an exhausted me being jostled around by fellow walkers as walking after having consumed alcohol. That was a deliberate attempt to give people a false message," the Chief Minister expressed displeasure.

"If I make a mistake, expose it, but do not publish or broadcast false news. Until a news item is published, it belongs to the journalist. After it is published, it becomes the property of society. Therefore, every news item must contain truth and honesty," he advised.

He noted that many eminent personalities, including Mahatma Gandhi, had worked as journalists and enhanced the dignity of the profession, and called for that tradition to be carried forward.

"The (bus) fare needs to be increased in a way that does not cause much loss to loss-making transport corporations, and also does not burden the common man

Byrati Suresh
Transport Minister

SHARAN PATIL MOOTS NATIONAL DEBATE ON MEDICAL ADMISSIONS

Minister to invite medical education ministers from across country for a meeting next month

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru:

KARNATAKA Medical Education Minister **Sharan Prakash Patil** said recent controversies surrounding the National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET) have highlighted the need for a fresh national discussion on medical admissions.

He announced plans to invite medical education ministers from across the country for a meeting next month to deliberate on possible reforms. Patil said states should be given a greater role in assessing medical aspirants and suggested that marks obtained in Plus Two\Pre-University Course (PUC) examinations along with Common Entrance Test (CET) scores should be given weightage in the admission process.

In the present system, students from small villages and rural areas will find it difficult to compete against someone from urban areas. Recalling the background of the examination system, Patil said he was among those who had suggested the idea of a single national-level medical entrance examination during a meeting with Prime Minister Narendra Modi in Bengaluru in 2014. At that time, he said, the proposal was aimed at reducing the burden on students who had to appear for multiple medical entrance examinations conducted by different institutions and states.

"During that period, there were several parallel examinations, and students were facing a lot of pressure. A common examination was seen as a solution," Patil said. He said when he had proposed it originally, PM Modi had asked if it was possible. He said the Union government started it subsequently, after a court order. However, he added that concerns were raised after the recent NEET-related fiasco for re-evaluation of the system. The objective should be to ensure a fairer and more balanced admission process that considers the academic performance of students at the state level as well. "After the recent NEET issue, there is a need to rethink the process. This is why we want to bring together ministers from different states and discuss the way forward," he said.

Patil said the proposed meeting would provide a platform for states to share their experiences and explore possible changes in the medical admission framework. We want to do it in an objective way without politics, otherwise BJP-ruled states may find it difficult to participate. He also maintained that Karnataka remains better positioned than many other states in the field of medical education, citing the state's established medical institutions and infrastructure.

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2 children among 3 killed in M'luru wall collapse

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Mangaluru

A woman and her two young daughters died while three others were rescued after a retaining wall collapsed onto a row of rented houses at Nagori in Kankanady, Mangaluru, following incessant rainfall in the early hours of Wednesday, .

The deceased have been identified as Anamika Chawrasia (8) and Tanu Chawrasia (4) and Shantha (46), a resident of Uchila in Udupi district. Alka Chawrasia (14), Anusha Chawrasia (11) and Shantha's husband Balakrishna (48) were rescued from the debris by National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) personnel.

Anamika, Tanu, Alka and Anusha are daughters of Lal Bahadur Chawrasia, who migrated from Bihar two decades ago and currently works as a carpentry contractor.

The tragedy occurred between 4.45am and 5am, when the 15-foot retaining wall crashed onto four adjacent tiled-roof houses where the families were asleep.

Two other houses sharing common walls with the affected structures also suffered extensive damage, although their occupants escaped unhurt. Lal Bahadur and his wife Indu escaped unhurt as they were sleeping in another room, while the room in which their daughters were asleep bore the brunt of the collapse.

Neighbours, along with personnel from the nearby Kankanady Police Station, were the first to respond before the NDRF teams arrived.

Health and Family Welfare Minister UT Khader, who visited the accident site and later met the injured at the hospital, announced an ex gratia of Rs 5 lakh each to the families of the deceased.

Khader said the injured persons would receive free medical treatment and compensation in accordance with the NDRF norms.

GRUHA JYOTHI

Day 1: Bescom records 2,536 beneficiaries

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

ON the first day of the verification drive for the state government's Gruha Jyothi scheme, Bangalore Electricity Supply Company (Bescom) officials visited houses of 2,536 beneficiaries. Bescom said meter readers and field staff visited households across the districts under its jurisdiction. Information gathered was updated on the Seva Sindhu mobile application and in printed format.

As per government orders, issued late Tuesday night, meter readers of all Escoms will conduct door-to-door survey to verify details of beneficiaries from July 1 to August 31. Gruha Jyothi beneficiaries are required to furnish Aadhaar and mobile numbers provided during the initial registration, along with passport-size photograph, Voter ID, ration card, PAN card, rental or lease agreement details and category details, it said.

To ensure a seamless process, SMS alerts have already been sent to the registered mobile numbers of beneficiaries.

The field personnel will also collect physical signatures of beneficiaries on the printed declaration form. In instances where the registered beneficiary is unavailable during the home visit, staffers will collect the signature of an immediate family member instead. Also, if the beneficiary provides partial details during the door-to-door visit, the information will be temporarily saved in the draft section of the mobile app. The field staff will subsequently re-visit the household at a later date to collect the remaining details for final submission, the official added.

EXPRESS READ

AHINDA Chaluvali seeks cabinet berth for Zameer

BENGALURU: Eeven as the Congress high command has instructed Chief Minister DK Shivakumar to not to entertain lobbying for ministerial berths, the AHINDA Chaluvali — an organisation comprising minorities, backward classes and Dalits, has urged that former minister BZ Zameer Ahmed Khan be made a minister in the forthcoming cabinet expansion. In a letter to AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge, Congress Parliamentary Party (CPP) chief Sonia Gandhi, LoP in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi and AICC General Secretary KC Venugopal, they said Zameer's contribution to the party was remarkable which should be taken into consideration. The AHINDA Chaluvali also condemned the hurling of footwear at Chikkaballapura MLA Pradeep Eshwar recently and warned of state-wide protests. They insisted that the Assembly Speaker take up the case suo motu as breach of privilege of the MLA against the miscreants, including the political parties they represent. "The incident took place despite the Congress government, claiming to be pro-AHINDA, in place. It is an insult to all the MLAs cutting across party lines. We will protest in all districts if the government does not take appropriate action against the perpetrators," they warned. **ENS**

KFCC members meet CM, demand new policy

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@ Bengaluru

OFFICE-bearers of the Karnataka Film Chamber of Commerce (KFCC) met Chief Minister DK Shivakumar on Wednesday and submitted various demands for the development of the Kannada film industry, including a new film policy and amendment to the Cinematograph Act. Shivakumar assured the delegation of the state government's support for the state's film industry.

The petition was submitted formally by chamber president Dr Jayamala. Discussions were held on bringing a new film policy, implementing an increase in subsidies, releasing grants for the construction of a film city, and more. Shivakumar also asked for ways he could help regarding granting five acres of BDA land to KFCC.

The chamber's other demands include a new policy that brings in changes in the 'Over The Top' (OTT) distribution system and protection of Kannada film industry.

A delegation led by KFCC President Jayamala meets Chief Minister DK Shivakumar at his official residence in Bengaluru on Wednesday

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No.DHOB/ALS/MPF/02/2025-26/Call-3 Date: 29-6-2026

CALL-3 TENDER NOTIFICATION

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The details of the same can be viewed from e-procurement portal of government of Karnataka https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/#/portal/portal-home.

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NOTICE INVITING TENDER

(Two Cover System) (Through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal Only)

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BID NOTIFICATION

The lumpsum tender for the following works are invited for Firm / Contractor who fulfills the qualification criteria as detailed in the bidding document. The details can be obtained from the Karnataka Public Procurement Portal.

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DIPR/Ballari/2026-27/KSMCA/RO No/293

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Having failed to repay the amount, the Notice is issued to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described below, by exercising powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property. Any dealings with the property will be subject to charges of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower(s)/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Physical Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs)	Name of Branch
1.	Shweta Subhas Rao Bhagwat/ LBBNG00005902714/ LBBNG00005990188/ LBBNG00005990242/ LBBNG00005958602	Property:1 Schedule A Property (Area Earmarked For Residential Development As Per The Building Plans Sanctioned) All That Piece And Parcel of Land Admeasuring 522.48 Sq. Mts. Equivalent To 5624 Sq. Ft Out of Total Extent of 3 Acres And 19 Guntas In Survey Number 330; Situate, Lying And Being In Begur Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, And Bounded By:- To The East By: Land Bearing Sy No 395 To The West By: Land Bearing Sy No. 331 To The North By: Sy No. 330, 329 And Block 4 To The South By: Land Bearing Sy No. 330 And Block 7 Wing B Schedule B Property The Undivided Right, Title And Interest Within The Plinth Area of The Land Covered In The Building Within The Project Known As Torino With Respect To Apartment No.206 Situated on 2nd Floor In The Said Building Admeasuring 59 Sqft (uds Share In Square Feet) Proportionate To 595 Sqft In The Super Built Up Area In The Said Building Together With 01 Car Parking In The Project Standing on All That Piece And Parcel of Land Admeasuring 522.48 Sq.mts. Equivalent To 5624 Sq. Ft Out of Total Extent of 3 Acres And 19 Guntas In Survey Number 330 Situated At Begur Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk. Property: 2 Schedule B Property The Undivided Right, Title And Interest Within The Plinth Area of The Land Covered In The Building Within The Project Known As Torino With Respect To Apartment No.205 Situated on 2nd Floor In The Said Building Admeasuring 59 Sqft (Uds Share In Square Feet) Proportionate To 595 Sqft In The Super Built Up Area In The Said Building Together With 01 Car Parking In The Project Standing on All That Piece And Parcel of Land Admeasuring 522.48 Sq.mts. Equivalent To 5624 Sq. Ft Out of Total Extent of 3 Acres And 19 Guntas In Survey Number 330 Situated At Begur Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk./ Date of Physical Possession on/ 29/06/2026.	22.05.2025 Rs. 53,05,865.64/-	Bangalore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/guarantors(s) is/are hereby issued a 30 day Notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold after 30 days from the date of publishing this Notice, as per the provisions under Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date: July 02, 2026 Place: Bangalore

Sincerely Authorised Officer, For ICICI Bank Ltd.

Canara Bank A Government of India Undertaking
ARM Branch– II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No.86, M G Road, Bengaluru-560001.
Telephone numbers 080-25310181 – e-mail – cb6298@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)
E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described Immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM-2 Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 06.08.2026 from 1.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. [with unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of sale],** through E-Auction under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of **E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **05.08.2026.** **(₹. in Lakhs)**

Sl. No.	Borrower Name/ Description of the movable / immovable assets	Total Liabilities as per Sale Notice	Details and Full Description of the Property	Reserve Price & EMD
1.	**(1) Mr. Nidheesh P V S/o Mohanan P,** C 804, Nikoo Homes-2, Towers Bharatiya City, Chokkanahalli, Thanisandra MainRoad, Jakkur, Bengaluru North 560064. **(2) Mr. Nidheesh P V** S/o Mohanan P, Pillakka Veedu, Kalla kolli Munda Valiya Poyil P O Hosdurg Thimri Kasaragod, Kerala-671313. **(3) Mr. Mohanan P** Puthiyavadavan Veedu, Munda Valiya Poyil P O Thimri Valiapoil Kasaragod, Kerala 671313. **(4) Mrs.Usha** W/o Mohanan P, Pillakka Veedu, Kalla kolli Munda Valiya Poyil P O Hosdurg Thimri Kasaragod, Kerala 671313.	**Rs. 3,59,78,755.84 (Rupees Three Crore Fifty Nine Lakhs Seventy Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Five and Eighty Four Paisa Only) plus further interest thereon from 29.06.2026 and other expenses**	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Southern Portion of Site No.1/A, New Municipal No.5,PID No..6-59-5, measuring as per actual site is 1315.65 sq.ft (instead of measuring 2160 sq. feet as per document), along with House thereon, situated at Nagappa Street, Palace Guttahalli, Bengaluru-560003, now comes under BBMP limit Bengaluru and bounded on: East by : Road/Nagappa Street, West by : Private property, North by : Northern portion of Site No.1/A,New municipal No.4, South by : Private Property	**Reserve Price Rs. 2,42,00,000/- EMD Rs. 24,20,000/-**

OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS : **(a)** Auction / bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the website **https://baanknet.com/** Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings. **(b)** The property can be inspected, with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer. **(c)** The property will be sold for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process. **(d)** EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (BAANKNET) portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan. **(e)** After payment of the EMD amount, the intending bidders should submit a copy of the following documents/details on or before **05.08.2026,** to Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore by hand OR Email. **(i)** Demand Draft/Pay order towards EMD amount. If paid through RTGS/NEFT Acknowledgement receipt thereof with UTR No. **(ii)** Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank at the time of making payment of balance amount of 25% of bid amount. **(iii)** Bid Form. The intending bidders should register their names at portal **https://baanknet.com/** and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider, M/s.PSB Alliance (BAANKNET) - e- mail: support.baanknet@psballiance.com EMD deposited by the unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them. The EMD/Sale proceeds shall not carry any interest. **(f)** Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. Bidders shall improve their offers in multiplies of **Rs.1,00,000/-.** The bidder who submits the highest bid (not below the Reserve price) on closure of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder. Sale shall be confirmed in favour of the successful bidder, subject to confirmation of the same by the secured creditor. **(g)** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the sale price (inclusive of EMD already paid), immediately on declaring him/her as the successful bidder and the balance within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. If the successful bidder fails to pay the sale price, the deposit made by him shall be forfeited by the Authorized Officer without any notice and property shall forthwith be put up for sale again. This amount shall be deposited by way of Demand draft in favour of Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, ARM II Branch OR shall be deposited through RTGS / NEFT / Fund Transfer to credit of account of **Canara Bank, ARM II Branch, A/c. No. 209272434, IFSC Code: CNRB0006298. (h)** For sale proceeds of **Rs.50.00 Lakhs (Rupees Fifty lacs)** and above, the successful bidder will have to deduct TDS at a rate 1% or as applicable on the sale proceeds and submit the original receipt of TDS certificate to the bank. **(i)** All charges for Conveyance, Stamp Duty/GST/Registration Charges etc. As applicable shall be borne by the successful bidder only. **(j)** Authorised Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the E-auction without assigning any reason thereof. **(k)** In case there are bidders who do not have access to the internet but interested in participating the E-auction, they can approach Canara Bank Circle office, Bengaluru or Canara Bank ARM II Branch, Bengaluru, who as a facilitating centre shall make necessary arrangements. **(l)** Bidder has to make due diligence and physical verification of property with regard to title, extent, area, dues, suits and cases etc. No claim subsequent to submission of bid shall be entertained by the bank. **(m)** After confirmation of sale, bidder's request cannot be accepted for refund of amount which is already paid and Bank will proceed as per SARFAESI Act.

For further details contact Authorized Officer, Canara Bank , ARM Branch-2- (9113092975, 8921102717, 9743619091, 9464534482, 8709675503 and 080-25310181) e-mail id – cb6298@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/s.PSB Alliance (BAANKNET) e-mail: support.BAANKNET@psballiance.com.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION / CAUTION

Bidding in the last minutes/seconds should be avoided by the bidders in their own interest. Neither Canara Bank nor the Service Provider will be responsible for any lapses/failure (Internet failure, Power failure, etc.) on the part of the bidder or vendor in such cases. In order to ward off such contingent situation, bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/alternatives such as back –up, power supply and whatever else required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the auction successfully.

Date : 01.07.2026
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised officer
Canara Bank

"They are not our enemies... they are fellow Indians. But anyone who undermines the Constitution, democracy, secularism and the National Flag must be opposed

BK Hariprsad, KPCC president

HC relief to MUDA ex-chief in land allotment scam

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court on Wednesday granted bail to the former Commissioner of Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) in relation to the proceedings initiated by the Directorate of Enforcement (ED) concerning the alleged irregularities in allotment of MUDA sites, imposing certain conditions. Justice M Nagaprasanna pronounced the order while allowing the petition filed by Dinesh Kumar, who is in judicial custody, seeking bail in the proceedings initiated under the PMLA Act.

The court said the petitioner shall be released on bail on executing a personal bond for Rs 5 lakh with two solvent sureties for the like sum. He shall not indulge in tampering with the prosecution witnesses and shall appear before the jurisdictional court on all the future hearing dates, the court added.

Though a complaint was registered against several persons, including former Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, his wife, brother-in-law and another person, based on a complaint filed by activist Snehamayi Krishna, after the investigation, they were dropped from the array of accused in the predicate offence, which had become a crime in 2024. Those who remained in the fray were other accused, one of whom is the petitioner, against whom the ED registered the complaint. The sessions court rejected his bail petition, and hence he moved the court.

Senior counsel appearing for the petitioner contended that the Coordinate Bench of this court in January permitted the petitioner to approach this court again on twin circumstances viz., if there was no progress in the trial for over three months coupled with changed circumstances. "Now, there are nine changed circumstances in the case for the petitioner to knock at the doors of this court.

At the time when the delay in trial was projected for the petitioner to be enlarged on bail, the proceedings were only 127 days old. Today, the proceedings are about 275 days old, and the stage remains the same. It is at a precognisance stage. Therefore, the petitioner must be enlarged on bail owing to the facts obtaining at this juncture and change in circumstances," he argued.

Additional Solicitor General K Arvind Kamath vehemently refuted the submissions in contending that merely because changed circumstances have come about, the earlier order rejecting the bail cannot be brushed aside. The apex court has clearly held that delay in trial alone cannot be the reason for grant of bail to an accused, particularly when the offences are found to be grave, he argued. The court, however, noted that the documents run to about 12,000 pages is an admitted fact and a plethora of witnesses to be examined by the trial court is again an admitted fact. The vehement opposition of Kamath would have merited acceptance if there was no changed circumstance at all, the court added.

Rescue operation in progress in Krishna river on Wednesday

Tipper plunges into Krishna River after hittingcar; driver missing

VIJAYAPURA: A tipper truck plunged into the Krishna River after colliding with a car on the Korthi–Kolhar bridge along the national highway on Wednesday evening. The driver of the tipper, Santosh Koti, a resident of Bennur village in Bagalkot taluk, is missing, while the cleaner was rescued by fishermen. Police said the tipper carrying sand from Gaddanakeri Cross in Bagalkot district to Kolhar, attempted to overtake a car travelling ahead. During the manoeuvre, it collided with the car, causing the driver to lose control. The vehicle then crashed through the bridge's safety barrier and plunged into the Krishna River. The cleaner, Sanju Mallappa Mulage (28), a resident of Yaranagi village in Basava Kalyan taluk of Bidar district, was rescued by local fishermen using a raft and brought to safety. Police personnel, Fire and Emergency Services staff, and local fishermen launched a search-and-rescue operation soon after the accident. Despite extensive efforts, the driver could not be traced. The operation was suspended after nightfall and is scheduled to resume on Thursday. ENS

MONSOON MALADIES

Doctors report rise in influenza, mild Covid-19 cases

GAYATHRI M KURUP @Bengaluru

HOSPITALS across the city are reporting a seasonal rise in respiratory viral infections, with doctors detecting an increase in influenza cases alongside a slight rise in Covid-19 infections. Medical experts attribute the trend to the monsoon, fluctuating weather conditions and the reopening of schools, saying the current surge is consistent with the seasonal spike in viral illnesses seen every year.

Doctors said Influenza A, particularly the H1N1 (swine flu) and H3N2 strains, is accounting for a larger share of respiratory infections than Covid-19 at present. While the JN.1 variant of Sars-CoV-2 continues to circulate, it is behaving similarly to the Omicron variant.

Dr. Ankitha Teja Narayan, Internal Medicine, KIMS Hospitals, said influenza cases have risen significantly over the past few weeks. "More than Covid-19, it is seasonal influenza that has increased. We are seeing around 10 to 15 influenza cases a day, particularly Influenza A, H1N1 and H3N2," she said, adding that most patients present with fever, runny nose, sore throat and cough and recover with supportive care.

However, a few elderly and immunocompromised patients have required intensive care due to severe respiratory illness. She said only patients with severe illness are routinely tested for Covid-19 and influenza, meaning some mild Covid infections could go undetected.

Dr. Aishwarya R, Consultant, Infectious Diseases, Aster RV Hospital, said the hospital recorded around five to six Covid-19 cases in June. "During the monsoon, respiratory viruses increase. The circulating JN.1 variant continues to behave like the Omicron strain," she said. She added that patients who required oxygen support had underlying illnesses such as asthma or concurrent influenza infection.

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Dr Ankitha Teja Narayan, KIMS

Dr. M Ravi Kumar, Senior Consultant, Internal Medicine, Sakra World Hospital, said that patients usually present with fever, cough, sore throat, nasal congestion, fatigue and body pain, similar to a common flu. He added that Covid has now become endemic and may continue to cause small, localised outbreaks without leading to widespread severe illness. "The JN.1 variant belongs to the Omicron family. It may spread more easily, but the illness remains mild," he said.

Doctors also pointed to the reopening of schools as one of the factors contributing to the spread of viral infections, as children can easily transmit respiratory viruses in classrooms before carrying them home to family members.

Forest dept's request for additional vets pending with CM

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru

THE forest department's appeal in June to recruit 12 more veterinarians by creating additional posts to attend to cases in the forests and zoos of Karnataka is awaiting clearance by Chief Minister DK Shivakumar, who also holds the forest, environment and ecology portfolio.

"We had placed the proposal before the chief minister, but the matter is yet to come up for discussion. We are seeking his time to present our case to address the requirements," said a senior forest department official, seeking anonymity.

The official said, "There are at present 24 sanctioned posts for veterinarians and all are occupied. Of these, 12 are engaged in zoos and 12 in the forest department. We have requested the CM to increase the total number to 36. We have also sought 40 assistant veterinarians. This will help not only to handle the current pressure, but also in future when the demand for veterinarians increases." The department raised the demand in the wake of the rising incidents of man-animal conflict and increasing need to capture, rehabilitate and treat animals. The veterinarians at present juggle between districts and centres. They are also deployed for long working hours during elephant capture operations and rescue and capture operations in national parks and tiger reserves.

A veterinarian attached to the elephant camps and forest areas said, "Deploying additional staff is the need of the hour. However, the department must also ensure that the staffers are not frequently transferred. This affects the medical treatment of animals."

The veterinarian said there is also a need to ensure that the veterinarians appointed are specialised in darting. At present, since all veterinarians are not skilled in darting, a guard or a range forest officer is assigned the task. This delays the time of operation as quick decisions on the size and aggression of the animals cannot be judged by other staffers. The veterinarians must also be made accountable in cases of the deaths of the animals due to unscientific practices.

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
ZILLA PANCHAYATH, KOPPAL. THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER RURAL DRINKING WATER & SANITATION DIVISION, KOPPAL

NO.RWS/Dn/KPL/KKRDB/2026-27/415 Date: 30.06.2026

KPPP NOTIFICATION
Double Cover System

On Behalf of Governor of Karnataka, Executive Engineer, Rural Drinking Water Supply & sanitation Division, Koppal Invites e-Tender for KKRDB Work The eligible bidders are requested to submit the Bid in Double Cover System through kppp portol mode through portol http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

General Information: 1) Contractor should submit the Tender Bid Documents through Online Only. 2) All Documents Should be Scanned and Upload during the period of Applying Tender through Online Only. 3) EMD Amount Should be Submitted Through Online Only 4) Two Cover Tender Called.

If any More Information Contractor should Contact this office or wide email id:eerwsskpl@gmail.com in Office Hours and Tenders will be Download from **04-07-2026** Tender Processing Fee: As Per KPPP Portol Tender Downloading Date: **04-07-2026** Time: 10:00 AM to **18-07-2026** 16:00 Hours Tender receiving Date and Time: **04-07-2026** Time: 10:00 AM to **18-07-2026** 16:00 Hours Technical Bid Opening Date and Time: **20-07-2026** Date:16:30 Hours Financial Bid Opening after approval of the technical bid from the Competent Authority **23-07-2026** Time: 11:00 AM to or After Obtaining the Technical Bid Approval from the Competent Authority

Sd/-Executive Engineer,
R.D.W & S .Division, Koppal

DIPR/Koppal/203/KSMCA/2026-27

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client's SMT. Sangeetha .K, W/o Keshava Murthy M.R, aged about 43 years and Sri.Keshava Murthy M.R S/o Late Rangaswamay, aged about 47 years both are Residing at No.1052, 8th Cross Road, Opp to Balamuri Ganesha and Rajarajeshwari Temple, Valagalahalli Village, Satellite Town, Bangalore- 560060 has entered into an agreement of sale on 01.06.2026 for the purchase of the schedule property with SRI. K.S.KRISHNAMURTHY, S/o late K.P.Srinivas Rao, Aged about 77 years, Residing at No.11/36, Ground Floor, 80 feet J.P Road, Girinagar 2nd Phase, Bangalore-560085, any person/s having any claim/objection regarding the sale transaction shall contact the undersigned Advocate with relevant documents within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which my client shall complete the sale transaction and thereafter no claim shall be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Site No.B4-83, Sy.No.114/3A, 3B, 114/3A1, 114/3A 3A and 114/3A 3C, Now comes under the limits of Dasanapura Village Panchayathi and assigned with property Id No.150200200700400410, Situated at Nagarur Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North District, measuring East to West 66+65/2 feet and North to South 40 feet totally measuring 2620 Sq.ft and bounded on: **East:** Site No.82, **West** : Site No.84, **North:** 40 feet Road, **South:** Private Property

M.B. CHANDRA SHEKAR
Advocates and legal consultants
No. 216, 1st Floor, Opp Mahindra Finance, Balaji Layout, Anupama Hospital Road, Bharath Nagar, Bangalore -560 091
Contact -9900069024, 9986599275
Date: 01-07-2026

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POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable property) [See rule 8(1)]

Whereas The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **IndusInd Bank Ltd.,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act No. 54 of 2002) (SARFAESI Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated 26.11.2025 thereby calling upon the **Borrower M/s Sri Shanmuga Enterprises and Guarantors Mr. K Jyothiprakash Subramanyam Reddy and Mrs. Kuppam Rajareddy Kranthi** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 50,97,471.29/-(Rupees Fifty Lakhs Ninety-Seven Thousand Four Hundred Seventy-One and Paise Twenty-Nine Only) as on 31.10.2025** together with further interest at documented rate from 01.11.2025 to the date of payment and other costs within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has **taken possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13 (4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules on this **29.06.2026.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **IndusInd Bank Ltd.,** for an amount of **Rs. 39,16,748.52 (Rupees Thirty-Nine Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-Eight and Fifty-Two Paisa only) as on 31.05.2026** together with further interest at documented rate from 01.06.2026 to the date of payment and other costs.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DETAILS OF SECURED ASSETS:

(Mortgaged Property: (Hypothecated Properties): Hypothecation by way of exclusive first charge on the entire movable fixed assets both present and future except other assets exclusively financed by other banks.

Schedule Property No. 1: Property of Mr. K Jyoti Prakash (Document No: Gift Deed 3170/2013-14): All that piece and parcel of Residential House at Site No. 7, Old CMC Katha No. 788, present BBMP Katha No. 788/179/1/2 formed in Sy. No. 179/1, converted for non-agricultural residential purpose Vide conversion order no. B.DIS.ALN.SR (N)7/91-92, dated 30-07-1991, situated at Kodigehalli village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangaluru North Taluk, measuring east to west 40 feet and north to south 30 feet, Totally admeasuring 1200 sq feet and bounded as follows: **East:** Site No. 14, **West:** 25 feet wide road, **North:** Site No. 08, **South:** Site No. 06

Date: 29-06-2026,
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer,
IndusInd Bank Ltd.

TOWN PANCHAYAT AINAPUR
Tal: Kagawad (STD 08339 254314) Dist:Belagavi
Website:www.ainapurtown.mrc.gov.in Mail:itstaff_ulb_ainapur@yahoo.co.in

SL.No.TP Ainapur:Tender::2026-27 Date:30-06-2026

|| Short Term Tender Notice Through Government of Karnataka||
||Karnataka Public Procurement Portal ||
(KTTP Act-2000)

Tenders are invited from eligible civil contractors registered with the Public Works/ Panchayat Raj Department under the Centrally Sponsored Amrutha 2.0 Scheme for the work described below in the limits of Ainapur Town Panchayat as per KW-4. Interested contractors may submit bids only through the Karnataka Public Procurement Portal. The details of the works are as follows.

P.No.1 Work Indent Number : DMA/2026-27/OW/WORK_INDENT59826 Estimate Cost (Rs. in Lakhs): 1,47,00,000=00 EMD Amount in Rs. 2,00,000=00 Grade of contractor:Class-1 & Above (Civil Contractor) N.I.T Publication date (KPPP-portal) Date 01-07-2026Last date prescribed for submission of Bids Date: 30-07-2026 Evening 4:00 PM Opening of Technical Bids Date 31-07-2026 Evening 5.00 PM Opening of Financial Bids Date 05-08-2026 Evening 4.00 PM More Information can be availed Website :www.ainapurtown.mrc.gov.in& www.KPPP.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/-
(Shri.Mahantesh S. Kavalapur)
Chief Officer
Town Panchayat Ainapur

Sd/-
(Smt.Laxmavva Suresh Adisheri)
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E- AUCTION SALE NOTICE (Sale through e-bidding only)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

The Authorised Officer of **HDFC Bank Limited** (erstwhile HDFC Limited having amalgamated with HDFC Bank Limited by virtue of a Scheme of Amalgamation approved by Hon'ble NCLT-Mumbai vide order dated 17th March 2023) (HDFC) issues E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) indicated in Column (A) that the below described immovable property(ties) described in Column (C) mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive / physical possession of which has been taken as described in column (D) by the Authorised Officer of **HDFC Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** as per the details mentioned below :

Notice is hereby given to Borrower / Mortgagor(s) / legal heirs, legal representatives (whether known or unknown), executor(s), administrator(s), successor(s) and assign(s) of the respective Borrower(s) / Mortgagor(s)(since deceased), as the case may be, indicated in **Column (A) under Rule 8(6)** of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in Secured Creditor's **website i.e. www.hdfcbank.com**

	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D &E)	(F&G)
Sl No	Name/s of Borrower(s)/ Mortgager(s)/ Guarantor(s)/	Outstanding dues to be recovered (Secured Debt) (Rs.)*	Description of the Immovable Property / Secured Asset (1 Sq. mtr. is equivalent to 10.76 Sq.ft)	Date of Auction and Time ---------- Type of Possession	Reserve Price (Rs.) ---------- Earnest Money Deposit (Rs)
1	Ms.Mamatha Santhoshima A G (Borrower)	Loan A/c No (1) 653831034 : Rs.26,45,761/- (2) 656938647 : Rs.30,002/- Total Amount Rs.26,75,763/- (Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Seventy Five Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Three Only) as on 29.02.2024	**Schedule A:** All that piece and parcel of the residentially converted immovable property bearing **Survey No. 120/3,** of surdenupura village, Hesargatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk Measuring 8. Guntas Vide Conversion Endorsement No.ALN: (N.A.H)SR/9/2010-11 dated 30-07-2010 more fully described in the Schedule- A. Hereunder and hereinafter referred as Schedule-A Property having purchased by the developer under a registered sale deed registered in the Sub-Registrar Office, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore has got building plan sanctioned from BIAPPA Vide TP-03CC-177/2011-12 dated 23/11/2011 for construction of residential Apartment in an area of 8784 Sqft in Schedule-A Property. and bounded on: **East by :** Munithimma's Land, **West by :** Channappa`s Land, **North by :** Remaining Owners Land, **South by :** Road. **Schedule B: East by:** Open Space, **West by :** Unit-1 (Flat No.F-001), **North by:** Open Space, **South by :** Unit-3 (Flat No.F-003), **391.00 Sqft** undivided share, right and title and interest in the Schedule A Property, with One Residential Apartment / Flat bearing **No. F-002** (1 BHK) **First Floor** with super built-up area approx. of **729.50 Sq ft with car parking area.**	17.08.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---------- Physical	Rs.22,75,000/- (Rupees Twenty Two Lakhs Seventy Five Thousand Only) ---------- Rs.2,27,500/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Twenty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Only)

1. Inspection Date & Time: 24.07.2026 and 31.07.2026 between 11.AM TO 4.PM
2. Minimum bid increment amount: Rs. 30,000/-
3. EMD Amount Submission on or before : 13.08.2026 (Before 5.00 PM)

together with further interest as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. incurred till the date of payment and / or realisation thereof.
The online auction will be conducted on the web site https://biddeal.in of our auction agency M/s Valuetrust Capital Services Pvt Ltd.,
For any assistance related to inspection of the property, or for obtaining the Bid document and for any other queries, please get in touch with Mr.Yogesh.N / Shridhar Chinni, official of HDFC Bank Limited through Tel No.080-41182283, 080-41182126 / 9449080072 / 7795853045
To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorized Officer of HDFC, there are no encumbrances in respect of the above immovable properties / Secured Assets.

Date : 02.07.2026
Place: Bangalore

For HDFC Bank Ltd.
Sd/- Authorized Officer of HDFC Bank Ltd. under SARFAESI Act, 2002

ROSAR BRANCH
बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda
Bengaluru Central, Fifth Floor, Vijaya Tower, 41/2, M G Road, Trinity Circle, Bengaluru-560001.
Phone :080- 25011426, E-mail : sarbec@bankofbaroda.bank.in, Websit: www.bankofbaroda.bank.in

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX-IV-A[See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) Mortgagor(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **28.07.2026 "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of below mentioned accounts. The details of Borrowe/s/ Mortgagor/s/ and Guarantor/s/ Secured Asset/s/ Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below –

Sl. No.	Name & address of Borrower/s, Mortgagor/s and Guarantor/ s	Detailed description of the immovable/moveable property with known Encumbrances, if any (Owner/Mortgagor name: Mr. Mohit Kumar Baradia	Total Dues	Date & Time of E-Auction	Reserve Price, EMD Amount Bid Increment Amount & Last date of EMD Amount	Status of Possession (Constructive/ Physical)	Property Inspection Date & Time
1	**Mr. Mohit Kumar Baradia S/o Rajkumar Baradia, Proprietor M/s Mohit Enterprises,** Property Sy.No.6/1, "Akruti Amity" Apartment, Flat No:003, Ground Floor, Block E, 13th Cross Road, Huskur Gate, Ananthanagar, 2nd Phase, Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru-560100. **Also at: Mr. Mohit Kumar Baradia,** 124, Kumba Building, 1st Floor, Bapuji Layout, Near KFC Restaurant, Chandra Layout, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru-560040. **Also at: M/s Mohit Enterprises Prop. Mr. Mohit Kumar Baradia,** No.9, 4th Cross, 2nd Floor, S P Road, Bengaluru-560002. **Also at: Mr. Mohit Kumar Baradia** S/o Rajkumar Baradia, Proprietor M/s Mohit Enterprises No.25, 13th Block, 2nd Stage, 2nd Main Road, 1st Cross, Nagarbhavi, Bangalore-560072.	**SCHEDULE A' PROPERTY :** Property Sy. No. 6/1, admeasuring 2030 sq.ft. Super Built-up-area and 750 Sq.ft of undivided share situated at "Aakruti Amity" Apartment, Flat No. 003, Ground Floor, Block E, Property bearing Converted Sy No. 6/1, 13th Cross Road, Huskur Gate, Ananthanagar 2nd Phase, kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru District – 560100.	**Rs. 2,13,54,779.63 (Rupees Two Crores Thirteen Lakhs Fifty-Four Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-Nine paise Sixty Three Only) as on 28.06.2026 Plus further interest and other charges till date.**	**28.07.2026 From 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM**	**Reserve Price: Rs.48,60,000/- EMD: Rs. 4,86,000/- Bid Increment Amount: Rs. 50,000/- Last Date and Time of Receipt of EMD Amount: 28.07.2026 upto 6.00 P.M.**	**Physical Possession**	**With Prior Appointment from authorized officer**

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer/visit to the website link https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction and online auction portal https://baanknet.com Also, prospective bidders may contact the Authorised officer on Tel No: 080 25011426, Mobile: 9440647971
Note: All charges including property tax, Electricity charges, Water Bills and Maintenance charges etc. and if any other charges shall be borne by the successful bidder only.

Date: 01.07.2026 Place:- Bengaluru Authorised Officer, Bank of Baroda

POST OF THE DAY

Bhatti Vikramarka Mallu @Bhatti_Mallu

The people's government has laid the foundation for a distribution of Rs 9,000 crore over 9 days at Rs 6,000 per acre

Ex-DMK minister under scanner in Rs35cr bribe row

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chennai

Former DMK minister and Coimbatore South MLA V Senthil Balaji has come under police scanner after the Chennai police named him and his brother V Ashok Kumar in connection with an alleged ₹35 crore bribery and intimidation bid targeting Uthangarai MLA Dr N Ilaiyaraja of the ruling TVK.

While three persons have been arrested and remanded in this connection for allegedly pressuring the MLA to vote against Speaker J C D Prabhakar in a proposed no-confidence motion in the Assembly, four more persons are being quizzed. Police claimed the accused acted at the behest of Ashok Kumar.

The case was registered after Ilaiyaraja submitted a complaint to the Greater Chennai Police Commissioner A Amalraj on Monday. In the complaint, the MLA said Thirunavukkarasu representing Indian Political Democratic Strategies, a political opinion polling firm, had first contacted him a few days ago, reaching out on behalf of leaders of a major political party and sought a personal meeting, which the MLA declined citing prior commitments.

Police alleged Thirunavukkarasu contacted Ilaiyaraja again and offered him ₹35 crore to vote against the Speaker in the proposed Assembly resolution. When Ilaiyaraja rejected the offer and warned him not to contact him again, Thirunavukkarasu allegedly threatened him and his family of dire consequences if he disclosed the conversation to anyone.

Police said that they found that Thirunavukkarasu (45) was acting in coordination with Naresh (40) and Thyagarajan (40). The police booked the trio under provisions relating to bribery, criminal intimidation and obstructing a public servant from discharging official duties, and arrested them.

WHEELS OF DEVOTION

Devotees participate in the Narasimha Swamy car festival during the 10-day Brahmotsava in Parthasarathy Swamy Temple at Triplicane, Chennai on Wednesday | ASHWIN PRASATH

Naidu warns YSRCP leaders of arrest over online abuse

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Nellore

ANDHRA Pradesh Chief Minister **N Chandrababu Naidu** on Wednesday issued a stern warning to YSRCP workers and leaders over abusive social media campaigns and online trolling targeting women, judges and coalition leaders, including Deputy Chief Minister K Pawan Kalyan. Demanding accountability, he instructed the authorities to take firm legal action against those violating the law. He asserted that it takes one minute to arrest YSRCP leaders involved in such offences, but maintained that his government is committed to development rather than political vendetta.

Naidu said the State government has been focusing on climate resilience, infrastructure development, industrial growth and good governance, while accusing the Opposition of attempting to obstruct development through misinformation and divisive politics.

Addressing a public meeting at Punnapuvaaripalem in the district, the Chief Minister said the impact of the El Niño phenomenon has been severe across the world, leading to a significant decline in rainfall. He noted that Europe is currently experiencing extreme heatwaves and recalled that Andhra Pradesh had adopted measures such as spraying water on roads in cities, including Vijayawada, during the summer to reduce the impact of high temperatures. Similar measures, he said, are now being implemented in Europe.

Naidu said that although there has been little inflow into the Godavari and Krishna rivers so far this year, reservoirs are still holding around 65% of their capacity due to abundant rainfall and timely storage last year.

The Chief Minister said the conflict in West Asia has pushed up petrol and diesel prices, making it necessary to promote ethanol as an alternative fuel. He urged farmers to cultivate crops such as maize, which are required for ethanol production, saying it could provide them with new income opportunities.

On the capital issue, Naidu said Amaravati is essential for the people of Andhra Pradesh, but alleged that the Opposition continues to conspire against its development.

EXPRESS READ

Day-2 of SIR: 54L forms distributed in Karnataka

BENGALURU: ON Day-2 of the house-to-house Special Intensive Revision (SIR) in Karnataka, Booth Level Officers distributed 54,68,607 enumeration forms. According to official data, 2,38,453 forms were digitised, and 26,213 voters submitted their enumeration forms online. Also, 2,565 electors were absent, shifted, dead or duplicate. Also, 21 electors were listed under the uncollectible or absent category, 816 marked as permanently shifted, 1,383 marked as dead and 327 as already enrolled electors. The highest number of enumeration forms were distributed in Kalaburagi district (4,06,323), followed by Davanagere (3,95,307) and Koppal (3,62,915). The least number of forms were distributed in Kodagu (31,223). In Bengaluru Urban, 1,28,403 forms were distributed, and in Bengaluru Rural 1,17,124.

No permission sought yet for Vizhinjam stake sale, says Satheesan

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ T"Puram

ASSERTING that government approval is mandatory for transfer of shares in the Vizhinjam International Seaport, Chief Minister **VD Satheesan** on Wednesday said the Adani Group has not sought the state's permission for the proposed transfer of 49% stake to Mediterranean Shipping Company (MSC).

The government learnt about MSC's proposed acquisition of a stake in the Vizhinjam port project, involving an investment of Rs 13,000 crore, only through media reports, Satheesan told the state assembly during question hour.

Meanwhile, Adani Group officials maintained that the divestment is fully in line with the group's contractual rights and remains subject to statutory approvals from the state and Union governments.

Later replying to a submission moved by Leader of the Opposition Pinarayi Vijayan, Satheesan said the government will decide on the proposed share transfer based on five parameters: national security, safeguarding public interest through a common-user facility, ensuring fair competition, promoting equal investment opportunities for all companies, and the long-term development of Vizhinjam Port, including offport activities and their impact on the state's revenue.

Only after examining all these aspects would the government consider granting approval, he said.

Rowdy-sheeter shot in leg while trying to escape

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

A ROWDY-sheeter, who was arrested by the JP Nagar police in connection with a murder case, was shot in the leg after he allegedly attacked police personnel and attempted to escape by pelting stones at them when he was taken for a spot mahazar to recover a weapon used in the crime. The incident took place at an isolated location in Thalaghattapura on Wednesday evening.

The accused, Santhosh, a rowdy-sheeter of Kumaraswamy Layout police station, has 14 criminal cases registered against him, including two murder cases and four cases of attempt to murder. He was arrested on Sunday along with his three accomplices in Kumaraswamy Layout, in connection with the murder of rowdy-sheeter Raju (29), who was allegedly hacked to death with machetes near Indira Gandhi Circle on June 27.

Santhosh allegedly attacked the team and attempted to flee by pelting stones at the officers. A woman Police Sub-Inspector opened fire, hitting Santhosh in his left leg to prevent his escape.

JOB VACANCY: GOLDEN PALM STATION CANTEEN, BANGALORE AND ITS EXTENSION CANTEENS (KARNATAKA)

1. Applications are invited for 52 vacant contractual employees posts in GPSC & its Extension Canteens at Bangalore, Mysore, Hassan and KGF. Employment will be for **11(eleven) months on contract basis**. Interested candidates must visit GPC website gpcscblr.co.in for further details.
2. Applications-cum-Bio Data Form alongwith all its connected documents to be forwarded to Canteen Officer, Golden Palm Canteen Cell, through registered post or Mail ID: gpccellkksa@gmail.com by 31 Jul 26.

Sd/-
Colonel
Canteen Officer, Golden Palm Canteen
Cubbon Road Bangalore - 560001

PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited
(Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala - 147001)
Corporate Identity Number: U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
Mobile No. 96461-10914

E-Tender Enq.No. 741/P-1/EMPW-13355 **dtd: 19.06.2026**

Dy. Chief Engineer / Headquarter (Procurement Cell-1) GGSSTP, Roopnagar invites E-Tender ID No. 2026_POWER_170632_1 for Routine Mtc. of Ash Dykes and Micro hydel channel and Power House along with Routine cleaning of trash rack intake structure, forebay etc at GGSSTP, Rupnagar. For detailed NIT & Tender Specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **22.06.2026** from **05.00 PM** onwards.

Note: Corrigendum & addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

883/RTP-60/26/01/07/2026
1079/12/2026-27/12863

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E-Tender Enq.No. 7822/P-1/EMP-13322 **dtd: 19.06.2026**

Dy. Chief Engineer / Headquarter (Procurement Cell-1) GGSSTP, Roopnagar invites **E-Tender ID No. 2026_POWER_170490_1** for procurement of pipes and fittings under PF Group for the year 2026-27. For detailed NIT & Tender Specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **22.06.2026** from **05.00 PM** onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum & addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

882/RTP-59/26/01/07/2026
1079/12/2026-27/12862

Government of Karnataka
Rural Drinking Water Supply & Sanitation Division, Davanagere

No.EE/RDWS& SD/DVG/ AE-1/Tender -2026-27 /411
Dated:- 30.06.2026

Short Term E-Procurement Tender Notification

Tender is invited through e-procurement for Work Operation and maintenance of Multi village water supply scheme to Hotyapura and other 11 Villages in Honnali Taluk, Davanagere District approved under 2215 –MVS O&M scheme(2026-27) for Rs499.84Lakhsin Two cover system by the Executive Engineer, RDWS & S Division, Davanagere on behalf the Governor of Karnataka, for registered PWD Contractors and also registered in e-Portal cell. Item rate tender as per standard bid documents only through e-Procurement in order to enhance the transparency in the tendering process and hence there will be no physical form of tender. Last date for submission of tenders on Dated:09.07.2026 at 5.00 PM. Further details can be obtained from this office Tel No:08192-262126 or through website http//kppp.karnataka.gov.in/

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Sd/- Executive Engineer
RWS Division, Davanagere

E-Tender Notice

Sl. No.	Item	Tender ID	Last date of submitting bid	Bid opening date
1	Fabrication, Supply and installation of one sulphuric acid storage tank at Factory Complex, Kulathupuzha Estate	2026_RPL_857809_1	18.07.2026, 5 pm	22.07.2026 11 am

For more details visit : www.etenders.kerala.gov.in/www.rplkerala.gov.in

Sd/-, MANAGING DIRECTOR
REHABILITATION PLANTATIONS LIMITED
RPL/S/2452/2026 dtd 27.06.2026
D3/388/2026/I&PRD

BANGALORE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED
(Wholly owned Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
(CIN-U04010KA2002SGC030438)

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Call-2)
(Through KPP portal)

BESCOM invites tenders through KPP portal platform from eligible Bidders, **Enquiry No.: BESCOM/2025-26/SE0444/Call-2** for **"Implementation of Custom Build Cloud Based GST Support Software for Compliance under Goods & Service Tax (GST), in BESCOM"**
Bid Documents available from 03.07.2026 onwards
The Tenders can be obtained through KPP portal website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in.** Aspiring Bidders need to register on KPP portal. Further Bidders can take assistance with KPPP help desk contact numbers (080-46010000, 080-68948777) or email at **support@eprochelpdesk.com.**

Sd/- General Manager (ICT & MIS.), BESCOM, 5th Floor, Belaku Bhavana, K.R. Circle, Bengaluru-560 001.

For Electricity Related Complaints Call: 1912
Download BESCOM MITHRA Mobile App.

BENGALURU WEST CITY CORPORATION
Office of the Executive Engineer, Special Division, RR Nagara Zone-1, No.301, 2nd Floor, Near BEML Complex, 3rd Stage, BEML Layout, Rajarajeshwarinagara, Bengaluru-560098.

No:BWSS/EE/(SD)/RRNZ-1/TEND/04/2026-27 Date: 01-07-2026

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION -Call-2
(TWO COVER SYSTEM)

(Through **GOK** KPP Portal **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** only)
The Executive Engineer, Special Division, R R Nagara Zone-1, invites tenders from eligible bidders for the work detailed in table below.

Sl No.	Name of the works
1.	Establishing Control Room and Supplying of other Equipments for 12 months RR Nagara Zone-1, for the year 2025-26. **Amount put to tender: ₹.182.00 Lakhs, EMD: ₹.2,73,000.00**

Calendar of Events : (1) Documents can be downloaded from e-procurement website from **03-07-2026** onwards (2) Last date & Time for Tender Queries is **04-07-2026** up to **4:00** pm. (3) Pre-bid meeting on **06-07-2026** at **11:00** am. (4) Last Date for Submission of Tender Document is **10-07-2026** up to **5:00**pm. (5) Opening of Technical Bid is on **13-07-2026** at **11:00** am. (6) Opening of Financial Bid will be intimated to the **Technically Qualified Bidders.** In the Event of the Specified Date of Tender Opening being declared a Holiday for the Employer, the Tenders will be opened at the Appointed Time and Location on the Next Working Day.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Special Division, Rajarajeshwarinagara Zone-1, BWCC

Town Municipal Council Office, Soraba.
Shivamogga District, Karnataka State.
Phone No.: 08184-272232.
e-mail: itstaff_ulb_sorab@yahoo.com
Web: www.sorabatown.mrc.gov.in

No.: S.T.P.J.E./CR/Tender/07/2025-26 Date: 29.06.2026

Tender Notice (Through K.P.P. Portal of GoK)

Tender is invited through K.P.P. Portal as per Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 2000 from eligible contractors registered in PWD for implementation of various works under Town Municipal Council General Grant for the year 2025-26 of Soraba Town Municipal Council for the present block as per Karnataka Standard Documents KC-1 Rules. Contractors who wish to participate in K.P.P. Portal Tender can obtain further information and details from http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in and participate.

Sl. No.1. Indent No.: DMA/2026-27/SE8105 **Approx. Amount (Rs. In lakhs):** 49.32 **Tender E.M.D.:** 123300.00 **Time Period:** 12 Months

*) Last date for obtaining information regarding Tender: 14.07.2026 up to 4.30 PM *) Last date for submission of Tender: 15.07.2026 up to 4.30 PM *) Date of opening Technical Bid: 17.07.2026 at 4.30 PM *) Date of opening Financial Bid: 18.07.2026 at 4.30 PM

Sd/- President **Sd/- Chief Officer**
Town Muncipal, Soraba. **Town Muncipal, Soraba.**

DIPR/smg/ksmca/26-27/08/07/450

KARNATAKA STATE FINANCIAL CORPORATION
(Established under the state financial corporation Act ,1951)
Branch Office : Plot No.7,MPL.No.1-1-53,Udaya Nagar, Station Road, RAICHUR-584104.Phone:08532-227028,E-mail:rch.ksfc@karnataka.gov.in

SALE OF ASSETS THROUGH E-AUCTION

The Land ,Building ,Plant & Machinery of the below mentioned unit/enterprise is taken over under section 29 of state financial corporations Act -1951 for recovery of dues and are available for sale on "AS IS WHERE IS AND WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS" will be sold through e-auction. Interested persons for the purchase of the assets are requested to participate in the Bid , through **e-auction web site https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

KSFC /2026-27/AUCTION331 : M/S JYOTHI INDUSTRIES, Prop: Smt Jyothi P W/o Piddappa S, situated at Panchayat No. 257(Old), 595(New), RDPR No. 152300502300220041 in Sy.No. 316/*/2, Mukkunda Village, Sindhanoor taluk, Raichur district, Land measuring 1-95 Acre, together with Industrial Shed, Plant & machinery (Cement Brick & Paver Blocks Making Machinery) . Reserve Price: **Rs. 58,78,000/ -,** EMD Amount **Rs,58,780/-.**

Terms & Conditions of Sale: (1) Inspection Date & Time for the above unit: **08-07-2026** from **10.30 AM** to **1-30 PM.** (2) The last date and time for payment of EMD, to obtain bid key & expression of interest to participate in e-auction is **04-08-2026 at 4:00 PM**. (3) Bid opening date and time **05-08-2026 at 11:00 AM.** (4) Bid closing date and time: **06-08-2026 at 11:00 AM.** (5) Successful bidder should pay applicable GST on the bid value of plant & machinery. (6) Successful bidder of land and building should bear statutory dues such as electricity bill arrears, Water bill arrears, municipal taxes, commercial taxes, employees EPF/ESI dues etc., if any on the assets/ unit. (7) Interested bidders may contact the undersigned (Cell:9880463050) for more information. (8) The other terms and conditions of sale through e-auction are detailed in the website viz **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** This is also the **30 days** statutory notice to be given to the Borrowers/ Guarantors/ Mortgagors for the sale of assets. Borrowers / Personal Guarantors / Collateral security owners may also use this opportunity to persuade any bidder to participate in the e-auction from their side or close the concerned loan account with up-to-date interest before the bid start date so as to cancel the e-auction. For more details to participate in the e-auction, interested persons may contact e-procurement help line **No. 91-9240214000/91-9240214001,** e-procurement cell, Sri Aravind Bhavan, 4th Floor, Mythic Society compound, Nrupathunga Road, Bengaluru-560001.

Place: Raichur Sd/-
Date: 30-06-2026 BRANCH MANAGER

KARNATAKA NEERAVARI NIGAM LIMITED
(A Govt. of Karnataka Enterprises)
Ref: 1) EE/ RNR/UTP/PB-1/2026-27/ 821 Dt: 30-06-2026

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through KPP- portal system)

Percentage tenders are invited by the undersigned on behalf of the Managing Director, KNNL, Bangalore, from eligible bidders who satisfies through GO KPPP platform shall submit the bid as per Ref in two cover Electronic document system for 01 Work under the head of account 4701 for Tender amount of Rs.41.29 (without GST) Lakhs. The details are as follows: Indent No:4637

(1)The contractor can have access to e tender documents for above Tenders From:30-06-2026 TO 07-07-2026 @ 5-00 pm (2) Last Date and time for tender queries before Dt:04-07-2026 Upto 4.00 PM (3) Technical Bid will be opened On 08-07-2026 @ 5.00 PM & financial Bid will be opened after the Approval Technical Bid at office of the Executive Engineer, KNNL, UTP Division, Ranebennur. Any changes made in the said Notification Corrected /Corrigendum's will be uploaded in the KPP-portal.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, KNNL, U.T.P. Dn, Ranebennur.

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GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
(www.kpwd.gov.in)

Office of the Executive Engineer, PWD Special Division, Shivamogga
Ph: 08182-222943 **Email ID:** spdivision@gmail.com

SHORT-TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Two-cover system) (Through KPP Portal)

IFT NO:16/2026-27 **Date: 29.06.2026**

The Executive Engineer, Public Works Department, Shimoga Special Division, invites tenders as per K.T.P.P act 2000, in standard Bid document K/W-3 (two cover system) Contractors has registered in PWD Department Class-3 and above register contractor can apply under head of **account2059-80-053-4-00-200 BUILDING** MAINTENANCE for work of Annual maintenance of VVIP Guest House, Circuit House, IB, Helipad, Garden and Roads in the premises of Circuit House in Shivamogga for the the year 2026-27 **(INDENT. No-36368)** in Shivamogga Taluk for Amount put to tender is. Rs. 60.95 Lakhs and EMD amount is **Rs. 1.22 Lakhs.** Time allowed for completion of work as same as mentioned in e-procurement. The tenderers may submit tenders through KPP-portal of the Government of Karnataka **(viz., http://KPPP.karnataka.gov.in).** The Tenderers are advised to note the minimum qualification criteria specified in Clause 4 of the Section -2 (Instructions to tenderers) of document, to qualify for award of the contract. Tender documents may be downloaded from the KPP-Portal **from 29-06-2026 to 07-07-2026** Last date for Receipt of Tender is on **07-07-2026 at 17.00 PM.** The Technical bid will be **opened on 08-07-2026 at 05.30 PM** onwards and Financial bid will be **opened after 09-07-2026** Onwards. If there any changes in publication, it will be publishing through KPP-Portal only. For more information may be obtained from the office during working hours. Information published in Website is final.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer, Public Works Department,
Special Division, Shivamogga

DIPR/SMG/No. 129/Zenkar/2026-27

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Canara Bank ARM - II Branch,
2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No.86, M G Road, Bengaluru-560001.
Telephone numbers 080-25310099, 080-25310181, E-mail: cb6298@canarabank.com

Ref: Our earlier notice dated 18.09.2025 is being withdrawn and we are issuing hereby a fresh notice.

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Notice Issued Under Section 13(2) Of The Securitisation And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002

To,

BORROWER : M/S Unifi Colors Pvt Ltd., Having Its Office At 235 11th Main AGS Layout, Arehalli, Utrahalli, Bangalore South, Karnataka-560061 **(1A) Also, its factory address at** M/S Unifi Colors Pvt Ltd., Krishna Towers 2nd Floor Located At Sy No.64/1 Chikkakallasandra Uttrahalli Hobli Bangalore, Karnataka-560061 **(1B) At present office address at** M/S Unifi Colors Pvt Ltd., No.81, M/S Madhu Art Studio (Abbaiah Naidu Studio), Chikalsasandra, Uttarahalli, Bangalore-560061**(1) Late. Anantha Padmanabha Akkerekadu (Director/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor)** S/o Ramakrishna Rao Through His' Legal Heirs **(I) Smt.Siddhi Joshi (Wife), (II) Ms. Avanti Akirekadu (Daughter),** B308 Oasis Nine 1st Main 7th Cross, Near Sharada School ISRO Layout, JP Nagar PO, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru Karnataka-560078 **(2) Smt. Chandrika Hegde (Director/ Guarantor),** Rescarch Kannada Saraswati Ladies Hostel Darward, Karnataka -580003 **(2A) Also at, Smt. Chandrika Hegde (Director/Guarantor)** C/o Udayaravi Hegde, 235, 11th Main, Near SBI ATM, AGS Layout Arehalli, Utrahalli Bangalore South, Subramanyapura (Post) Karnataka-560061 **(2B) Also at: Smt. Chandrika Hegde (Director/ Guarantor)** # 762, Sudarshan 1st Floor 7th Main Near Srinagar Bus Stop, Bangalore South, Karnataka-560050 **(3) Mr. Udaya Ravi Hegde (Director/ Guarantor)** No.525 Prashanth Nilaya, 2nd Floor 2nd Main 4th Cross, AGS Layout Arehalli, Bengaluru South, Karnataka-560061 **(3A) Also at : Mr. Udaya Ravi Hegde (Director/Guarantor),** No. 600/A, 7th Blóck BSK III Stage, II Phase Girinagar, Bangalore, Karnataka-560085 **(3B) Also at : Mr. Udaya Ravi Hegde (Director/Guarantor),** 235, 11th Main, Near SBI ATM AGS Lay Out Arehalli, Utrahalli, Bangalore South, Subramanyapura (Post), Karnataka-560061 **(4) Mr. Lalsahab Rajaram Yadav (Director)** S/o Rajaram Rambilas Yadav, B-35, Manek Nagar Building, MG Road, Near Patel Nagar Naka, Mumbai, Kandivali West, Maharastra-400067 **(5) Mr. Jayprakash Naval Jha (Director)** S/o Nathuni Jha #11, Shree Gokul Garden Chs, Thakur Complex Kandivali East Mumbai, Maharastra-400101.

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank ARM II Branch** (hereinafter referred to as "the secured creditor"), appointed under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, (hereinafter referred as the "Act") do hereby issue this notice to you as under:

That **M/s Unifi Colors Pvt Ltd, Through It's Directors: Mr. Udaya Ravi Hegde, Smt. Chandrika Hegde, Late. Anantha Padmanabha Akkerekadu, Mr. Lalsahab Rajaram Yadav & Mr. Jayprakash Naval Jha** (hereinafter referred to as "the Borrower") has availed credit facility / facilities stated in the Schedule A hereunder and have entered into the security agreement/s in favour of the secured creditor. While availing the said financial assistance, you have expressly undertaken to repay the loan amount/s in accordance with the terms and conditions of the above-mentioned agreements.

That **Late. Anantha Padmanabha Akkerekadu, Mr. Udaya Ravi Hegde & Smt. Chandrika Hegde** (hereinafter referred to as "the Guarantor"), has guaranteed the payment on demand of all moneys and discharge all obligations and liabilities owing or incurred to the secured creditor by the Borrower for credit facilities (Fund based / Non Fund Based) up to the limit of **Rs.2,45,00,000.00 (Rupees Two Crore Forty-Five Lakhs Only)**

You **Late. Anantha Padmanabha Akkerekadu** has also entered into agreements against the secured assets which are detailed in Schedule B hereunder

However, from **June 2025** the operation and conduct of the said financial assistance / credit facilities have become irregular. The books of account maintained by the secured assets shows that the liability of the Borrower towards the secured creditor as on **28.06.2026** amounts to **Rs.2,18,64,189.52 (Rupees Two Crore Eighteen Lakh Sixty-Four Thousand One Hundred Eighty-Nine and Paisa Fifty-Two Only)** plus further Interest and charges thereon, the details of which together with future interest rate are stated in Schedule C hereunder. It is further stated that the Borrower/Guarantor having failed to keep up with the terms of the above said agreement in clearing the dues of the secured creditor within the time given and have been evasive in settling the dues. The operation and conduct of the above said financial assistance / credit facility/ies having come to a standstill and as a consequence of the default committed in repayment of principal debt/ instalment and interest thereon, the secured creditor was constrained to classify the debt as Non-Performing Asset (NPA) as on **17.09.2025** in accordance with the directives/ guidelines relating to asset classification issued by the Reserve Bank of India.

The secured creditor through this notice brings to your attention that the Borrower has failed and neglected to repay the said dues/ outstanding liabilities and hence hereby demand you under Section 13(2) of the Act, by issuing this notice to discharge in full the liabilities of the Borrower as stated in Schedule C hereunder to the secured creditor within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice. Further, it is brought to your notice that you are also liable to pay future interest at the rate of mentioned in schedule C together with all costs, charges, expenses and incidental expenses with respect to the proceedings undertaken by the secured creditor in recovering its dues.

Please take note of the fact that if you fail to repay to the secured creditor the aforesaid sum **Rs. 2,18,64,189.52 (Rupees Two Crore Eighteen Lakh Sixty-Four Thousand One Hundred Eighty-Nine and Paisa Fifty-Two Only) as on 28.06.2026** together with further interest (as stated in schedule C) and incidental expenses and costs as stated above in terms of this notice under Section 13(2) of the Act, the secured creditor will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub-section (4)(a) and (b) of Section 13, the extract of which is given here below to convey the seriousness of this issue:

13(4)- In case the Borrower/Guarantor fails to discharge liability in full within the period specified in sub- section (2), the secured creditor may take recourse to one or more of the following measures to recover his secured debt, namely; (a) Take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower/Guarantor including the right to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realizing the secured asset; (b) Take over the management of the business of the Borrower including the right to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realizing the secured asset:

Provided that the right to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale shall be exercised only where the substantial part of the business of the Borrower is held as security for the debt;

Provided further that where the management of whole of the business or part of the business is severable, the secured creditor shall take over the management of such business of the borrower which is relatable to the security for the debt and under other applicable provisions of the said Act.

Your attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

You are also put on notice that in terms of Section 13(13) the Borrower/Guarantor shall not transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed in Schedule B hereunder without obtaining written consent of the secured creditor. It is further brought to your notice that any contravention of this statutory injunction/ restraint, as provided under the said Act, is an offence and if for any reason, the secured assets are sold or leased out in the ordinary course of business, the sale proceeds or income realized shall be deposited with the secured creditor. In this regard you shall have to render proper accounts of such realization / income.

This notice of Demand is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which the secured creditor may have including further demands for the sums found due and payable by you.

This is without prejudice to any other rights available to the secured creditor under the Act and/or any other law in force.

Please comply with the demand under this notice and avoid all unpleasantness. In case of Non- compliance, further needful action will be resorted to, holding you liable for all costs and consequence.

SCHEDULE - A
[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

SL.NO.	Loan No.	Nature of Loan/Limit	Date of sanction	Sanctioned Amount (Rs.)
1	125004165415	MSME-OD/OCC	07.07.2023	Rs.50,00,000/-
2	170006861290	MSME-TERM LOAN	13.12.2022	Rs.1,95,00,000/-

SCHEDULE –B
[Details of security assets]

SL. NO.	Movable	Name of the title holder
1	Hypothecation of stock and book debts, machineries purchased from bank finance kept at Krishna Towers 2nd floor, located at Sy no.64/1 Cikkakallasandra Uttrahalli Hobli Bangalore, Karnataka-560061 and now as per letter dated 06.02.2026, same is shifted no.81, M/s Madhu Art Studio (Abbaiah naidu studio), Chikalsasandra, Uttarahalli, Bangalore -560061	M/s.UnifiColors PvtLtd

SL. NO.	Immovable	Name of the title holder
1	**Schedule A Property :** All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Khatha No. 731/534/1, flats formed in Sy. No. 15, measuring 1 acre, situated at Bikasipura village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk Bangalore, presently coming within the jurisdiction of the Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palke, Subramanyapura Range, Bangalore, converted to Non-Agricultural Residential purposes vide Order bearing No. BDS:ALN/SR(S)278/1996-97, Dated:28/01/1997 together with all rights appurtenant thereto, whether situated on, below or above the surface, and bounded on the: East by:40 ft wide 7th Cross Road from the ISRO Layout and remaining portion of Sy, No.15, West by: Remaining portion of Sy. No.15, North by: 6th Cross Road, South by: Remaining portion of Land retained by the Trust owned by party No, 1 of the First Parties **Schedule B Property :** An undivided 1.265% (One Point Two Six five percent) share, right, title and interest in the land comprised in the Schedule A Property equivalent to 550.9540 Sqft (Five Hundred, Fifty Point Nine Five Four Zero Square Feet), of the Owner's share with proportionate undivided share in the land, together with all appurtenances whatsoever, whether situated on below or above the surface. **Schedule C Property :** All that part and parcel of the Residential Building Flat, bearing Flat No B-308, BBMP KATHAN NO :731/534/1-15, Situated on the third floor of the block B in the building known as "OASIS NINE" flat situated in Sy No. 15 at Bikasipura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South measuring 1356 Sq ft. East by: Flat No B309, West by: Open Space, North by: Open Space, South by: Flat No B 307	Late.Anantha Padmanaba Akkerekadu [Through His Legal Heirs (I) Smt.Siddhi Joshi (Wife) & (Ii) Ms.Avanti Akirekadu (Daughter)]

SCHEDULE – C
[Details of liability as on date 28.06.2026]

SL. NO.	Loan No.	Nature of Loan/Limit	Principal as on date 28.06.2026	Interest and other charges as on date 28.06.2026	Total Liability as on date 28.06.2026	Rate of Interest
1	125004165415	MSME-OD/OCC	Rs. 49,99,557.00	Rs. 5,44,755.75	Rs. 55,44,312.75	10.35%
2	170006861290	MSME-TERM LOAN	Rs. 1,39,57,079.00	Rs. 23,62,797.77	Rs. 1,63,19,876.77	11.45%

Date : 29.06.2026
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

PUBLIC NOTICE

We are investigating the title of landowners as detailed in the table below **("Owners")** with respect to converted land/agricultural land, situated at (i) Thigalachowdadenahalli Village, and (ii) Dommasandra Village, both Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District morefully described in the schedule hereunder and hereinafter referred to as the **"Schedule Property".** (A) certain portion of the Schedule Property is being developed by **M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP,** having its office at No.78, "Imagine", EPIP Zone, ITPL Main Road, , Bangalore **("Developer"),** having development rights over certain portion of Schedule Property under the registered Joint Development Agreements and registered General Powers of Attorney (B) M/s. Inspira Builders LLP is the agreement holder for a portion of the Schedule Property **("Agreement Holder"),** as detailed below.

Any person having any right, title, claim or interest in the Schedule Property or against the Owners/ Agreement Holder/ Developer must notify the undersigned with documentary proof thereof within fifteen (15) days of this publication. In case no such notice is received by us within fifteen (15) days from the date of publication of this notice, it shall be presumed that the title of the Owners/ Agreement Holder/ Developer with respect to the Schedule Property is clear, marketable and free from encumbrance/s of any kind whatsoever and no person has any right, title or interest of any nature whatsoever in respect of the Schedule Property or any part thereof. Claims or alleged interest, if any, which are not received within fifteen (15) days from the date of publication of this notice shall be deemed to have been waived and disregarded for all intents and purposes and shall not be binding on our client.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of converted land/agricultural land, totally measuring 22 acres 22.187 guntas, situated at Thigalachowdadenahalli Village, and Dommasandra Village, both Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, and bounded on:

Sl. Nos	Sy. Nos.	Extents Acre/s	Extents Gunta/s	Boundaries East By: E; West By: W; North By: N; South By: S	Details of the Owners ('O')/ Developers ('D')/ Agreement Holders ('AGH')
Thigalachowdadenahalli Village					
1	78/2 (Converted)	00	11	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.78/3. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.78/1. **N:** Road. **S:** Dommasandra Village Border.	**D. S. Veeranjaneya** son of late Settappa Sankarappa @ residing at # 358, Dommasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District Bangalore-562 125 ('O'). M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 02.11.2023 registered as Document No.SRJ-1-07008/2023-24 ('D').
2	78/3 (Converted)	00	11	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.79 **W:** Land bearing Survey No.78/2 **N:** Road. **S:** Dommasandra Village Border.	**D. V. Suresh** son of late N. Venkataswamy Reddy, residing at Dommasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District Bangalore-562 125 (O). **M/s. Iinspira Gold County,** is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 02.11.2023 registered as Document No.SRJ-1-07006/2023-24
3	79/6 (old Survey No.79/1) (Converted)	01	09 ½	**E:** Land bearing Survey No. 79/1, 79/7and 79/8. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.78/2. **N:** Road. **S:** Dommasandra Village Border and Land Bearing Survey No. 79/7	**B. Susheela** wife of D.V. Suresh residing at Dommasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Balgalore Urban District Bangalore-562 125 ('O').
4	79/8 (old Survey No. 79/1) (Converted)	00	01.1	**E:** Land bearing Survey No. 79/1. **W:** Land bearing Survey No. 79/6. **N:** Land bearing Survey No. 79/7 **S:** Dommasandra Village Border.	**M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP** is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 07.11.2023 registered as document No.SRJ-1-07225/2023-24 ('D').
5	77/12 (Converted)		09	**E:** Land bearing Survey No. 77/1, 77/11, & 77/15. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.77/1, 77/3, 77/4, 77/5 & 77/13. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.77/1. **S:** Road.	**Madhu Preetham @ Madhu Shree S** daughter of D.V. Suresh, residing at Dommasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District Bangalore-562 125 ('O').
6	77/15 (Converted)	02	00	**E:** Land bearing Survey No. 80. **W:** Land bearing Survey No. 77/1, 77/11 & 77/12. **N:** Land bearing Survey No. 77/1. **S:** Road.	M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 07.11.2023 registered as document No.SRJ-1-07225/2023-24 ('D').
Dommasandra Village					
7	205/3 (Converted)	00	07	**E:** Land bearing Survey No. 205/4. **W:** Land bearing Survey Nos. 205/1 and 205/2. **N:** Tigalachowdenahalli Village Border. **S:** Land bearing Survey Nos. 193 and 202.	**D. S. Veeranjaneya,** son of late Settappa Sankarappa @ residing at # 358, Dommasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District Bangalore-562 125 ('O').
8	202/4 (Converted)	00	14	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.202/5. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.202/1. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.205. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.202/2A.	**M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP** is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 02.11.2023 registered as Document No.SRJ-1-07008/2023-24 ('D').
9	205/5 (Converted	00	06	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.205/6 **W:** Land bearing Survey No.205/4. **N:** Tigalachowdenahalli Village Border. **S:** Land Bearing Survey No.203.	**D. V. Suresh** son of late N. Venkataswamy Reddy, residing at Dommasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District Bangalore-562 125 ('O').
10	202/5 (Converted)	00	14 ½	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.203 . **W:** Land bearing Survey No.202/4. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.205. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.202/2A.	**M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP,** is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 02.11.2023 registered as Document No.SRJ-1-07006/2023-24 ('D').
11	202/1 (Converted)	02	39	**E:** Land bearing Survey Nos.202/2A, 202/2B and 202/4. **W:** Land bearing in Survey Nos.193, 194, 199 and 201. **N:** Road. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.207.	**1) V. Ramaiah son of late Yellappa,** residing at # 133, 4th main, 4th cross, Gowravanagar JP Nagar, 7th Phase, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560 078 ('O'). **M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP** is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 30.09.2023 registered as document No.SRJ-1-06002/2023-24 ('D').
12	203/5 (Converted)	00	16 ½	**E:** Land bearing Survey No. 203/6. **W:** Land bearing Survey No. 202 **N:** Land bearing Survey No. 205 **S:** Land bearing Survey No. 203/4.	**B. Susheela** wife of D.V. Suresh, residing at Dommasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District Bangalore-562 125 ('O'). **M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP** is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 07.11.2023 registered as document No.SRJ-1-07225/2023-24 ('D').
13	203/2 (Converted)	00	1 ¼	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.203/6. **W:** Land bearing Survey No. 202 . **N:** Land bearing Survey No. 203/3. **S:** Land bearing Survey No. 203/1.	
14	203/3 (Converted)	00	03	**E:** Land bearing Survey No. 203/6 **W:** Land bearing Survey No. 202 **N:** Land bearing Survey No 203/4 **S:** Land bearing Survey No. 203/2	
15	203/4 (Converted)	00	08	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.203/6. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.202. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.203/5. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.203/3.	
16	205/4 (Converted)	00	14.14	**E:** Land bearing Survey No. 205/5 **W:** Land bearing Survey No. 205/3 **N:** Tigalachowdenahalli Village Border . **S:** Land bearing Survey No. 202 and 203	
17	198/2 (Cconverted)	01	06	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.199/2. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.198/6. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.197. **S:** Land bearing Survey Nos. 198/3 and 199/1.	**Lakshmi D. S.** daughter of A. Somashekar Reddy and wife of R. Ravipraksh, residing at No.752, 11th 'A' Cross, 24th Main, H. S. R. Layout, Bangalore -560 102 ('O') **M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP** is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 30.09.2023 registered as document No.SRJ-1-05987/2023-24 ('D').
18	199/2 (Converted)	00	34	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.199/1. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.198/2. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.197. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.199/1.	
19	200/2 (Converted)	00	26	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.201/5. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.200/1. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.199/1. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.201.	**A. Somashekar Reddy** residing at Vidhya Nagar, Opp. Saraswathi Vidhya Nikethan, Somanna Grape Garden, Dommasandra, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District Bangalore-560 099 ('O'). **M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP** is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 30.09.2023 registered as document No.SRJ-1-05987/2023-24 ('D').
20	200/1 (Converted)	00	23	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.200/2. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.199/1. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.199/1. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.201/2.	
21	199/1 (Converted	05	05	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.201 and Survey No.202/1. **W:** Land bearingSurvey No.198/3 and Survey No.199/2. **N:** Land bearing Survey Nos.197, 199/2 and 194. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.200 and Survey No.201.	
22	198/3 (Converted)	01	26	**E:** Land bearing Survey Nos.201/1 and Survey No.199/1. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.182. **N:** Land bearing Survey Nos.198/5 and Survey No.198/6. **S:** Land Bearing Survey No.207.	**H. Prasanna son of B. Huchhappa,** residing at #643, 3rd stage, Bangalore – 560 085 ('O') **M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP** is the developer vide Joint Development Agreement dated 28.12.2023 registered as document No.BSK-1-12133/2023-24 ('D').
23	203/6 (Agricultural)	01	37	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.204. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.203/1,2,3,4,5. **N:** Land Bearing Survey No.205. **S:** Land Bearing Survey No.207.	**Naveen Reddy** son of late D.C. Vijay Kumar Residing at No. 262, Santhe Beedi, 2nd Ward, Anekal Taluk, Dommasandra, Bangalore ('O')
24	201/1 (Converted)	00	10	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.201/2. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.198. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.199. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.207.	**M/s. Iinspira Gold County LLP ('O').**
25	201/2 (Converted)	00	30	**E:** Remaining portion of same Survey No.201/2. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.201/1. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.199 and 200. **S:** Land bearing Survey No.207.	
26	201/5 (Converted)	00	19 ½	**E:** Land bearing Survey No.202. **W:** Land bearing Survey No.200. **N:** Land bearing Survey No.200. **S:** Remaining portion of the Land Bearing Survey No. 201/5.	**Somashekar Reddy** son of late Y. Appanna, residing at Vidhya Nagar, Opp. Saraswathi Vidhya Nikethan, Somanna Grape Garden, Dommasandra, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District Bangalore-560 099 ('O'). **M/s. Inspira Builders LLP** is the agreement holder vide Agreement cum memorandum of understanding dated 07.07.2021 registered as Document No.2336/2021-22 (AGH).

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 02-07-2026

Sd/- Malini Raju, Vidhyadhare. S
AZB & Partners,
Level 5, 37 Cunningham,Cunningham Road, Bengaluru -560 052.

GVK POWER (GOINDWAL SAHIB) LIMITED

Regd. Office: Plot No.10, Paigah Colony, Sardar Patel Road, Secunderabad - 500003. Telangana, India. CIN: U40109TG1997PLC028483
(A wholly owned subsidiary of Guru Amar Das Thermal Power Limited, GATPL)
(A step down wholly owned subsidiary of Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, PSPCL)

HOD - MMD, GATP, Goindwal Sahib, invites E-Tender for supply of Impact Idler in Conveyor Belt system in CHP area.

1	**Tender Enquiry No.170/GATP/MMD/CHP/20017739** **"Procurement of Impact Idlers in Conveyor belt System in CHP area."** at 2X270 MW Guru Amardas Thermal Plant (GATP), Goindwal Sahib, Distt. Tarn Taran, Punjab as per details given in the tender specifications.

For detailed NIT & Tender specifications, please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **30/06/2026 from 17:00 Hrs.** onwards.

Note: Corrigendum and addendum, if any, will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public is hereby informed that our Client, intends to purchase the land bearing **Sy.No.51(old Sy.No.25)**, measuring 05(Five) acres 07(Seven) guntas [including 08(Eight)guntas of kharab], situated at Kamana Agrahara Village, Doddabelavang ala Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, more fully described in the Schedule hereunder and hereinafter referred to as the "**Schedule Property**" from its Owner **Mr.A.Rangappa**, S/O Late. Ajjappa, of Kamana Agrahara Village, Doddabelava ngala Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bangalore Rural District ("**Owner**").

If any person/s,Companies, Firms, Institutions, Local and Government Author ities etc., have any objection to the aforesaid proposed transaction or has any manner of subsisting or pre-existing right, title, interest, share, claim, demand, mortgage, charge, lien, lease, tenancy, easement, inheritance right, possession, encumbrance, lis- pendens, attachment, acquisition proceedings or any other right or claim whatsoever in respect of the Schedule Property or any part thereof, are hereby notified and called upon to lodge/ submit their objections and/or claims in writing, together with documentary evidence in support there of, with the Undersigned Advocates within **15 (Fifteen) days** from the date of publication of this Notice.

In the absence of any genuine and lawful objection and/or claim being received within the aforesaid period, our Client shall proceed to complete the proposed purchase of the Schedule Property from the Owner as if no such claim or objection exists, and any claim or objection received thereafter shall not be binding upon our Client and shall be deemed to have been waived and abandoned.

: SCHEDULE PROPERTY:

All that piece and parcel of agricultural land measuring 05(Five) acres 07 (Seven) guntas [including 08(Eight) of kharab] in Sy.No.51, of Kamana Agrahara Village, Doddabelava ngala Hobli, Doddaballa pura Taluk, Banga lore Rural District, and bounded on the **East by :** 20 feet Road and Thimma iah's land **West by :** Thimmaiah's land **North by** : Kariyanna and JPCL Company's lands **South by** : Ramaiah and Thimmiah's lands.

Kempe Gowda, Rakshith K Gowda, Advocates, M/s. Kempe Gowda Law Firm,
No.1014/E, 'Ningamma Krupa', 59th 'C' Cross,4th M' Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010,**Mob.No.8277145241/9901464769. Email :kempegowda@kglf.in**

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)

Bannerghatta Road Branch

Can Fin Homes Ltd

No.1 and 2 , 2nd Floor,
1st Cross, Ramakrishnappa Layout,
Gottigere,Bengaluru 560083,
Ph: 080-25780611/7625013269
Email:bannerghatta@canfinhomes.com
CIN:L85110KA1987PLC008699 Karnataka.

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of "The Securitisation and reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No. 54 of 2002)"

To,

1.Sri. Amol Pandurang Naole. (Borrower), S/o. Sri. Pandurang Naole, Aged about 36 years

2. Smt. Megha Mahadev Bhawkar (Co-Borrower), D/o. Sri. Mahadev Harishchandra Bhawkar, Aged about 35 years

Both are residing at: No. A- 0122, Brigade Meadows, Kanakapura Main Road, Kaggalipura, Bangalore-560082.

3. Polagani Sai Sumanth Koundinya, (Guarantor), A01G2, Brigade meadows, Kanakapura Main Road, Near Art of Living, Bengaluru-560082

No. 1 & 2 amongst you have availed a housing loan from our branch against the security of mortgage of the following asset belonging to No. 1 and 2 Amongst you. An amount of **Rs 22,19,125/-** (Rupees Twenty Two lakhs Nineteen Thousand One hundred Twenty Five Only)is due from you, to Can Fin Homes Ltd. as on 30.06.2026 together with future interest at the contracted rate.

Details of the mortgaged asset

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site No. 2, Formed In Old Sy. No. 102/5, New Survey No. 102/6, situated at Kaggalipura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Measuring East to West 30 Feet and North to South 40 Feet, Totally Measuring 1200 Square Feet. Bounded By: East By - Property Belongs To Sri. Rajanna, West By - Road, North By - Site No. 1,South By :Site No. 3. Registered demand notice was sent to Nos. 1 & 2 amongst you under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002, but the same was returned unserved. The undersigned has, therefore, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known addresses of the said Borrower/ s as per the said Act. Hence this paper publication. As you have failed to adhere to the terms of the sanction, the account is classified as a Non Performing Asset on **29.06.2026** as per the NHB Guidelines. You are hereby called upon to pay the above said amount with contracted rateof interest thereon from **30.06.2026** within 60 days from the date of this notice, failing which the undersigned will be constrained to Initiate action under SARFAESI Act to enforce the aforesaidsecurity. Further, the attention of borrowers / guarantors is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them to redeem the secured assets.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Limited

Place: Bangalore
Date : 01.07.2026

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Bank of Baroda

(A Government of India Undertaking)

Dasarahalli Branch

8th Mile, Circle Eshwar Rao Compound, 13/5, 4th Cross Road, MTS Colony, Prashanth Nagar, T. Dasarahalli, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560057.

POSSESSION NOTICE

13(4) (For Immovable Property), APPENDIX- IV under Rule 8(1)

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Bank of Baroda, Dasarahalli Branch, Bengaluru,** under Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **13.04.2026** calling upon the Borrowers/Co-Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors, **1) Mrs. Indira V,** W/o Hanume Gowda, R/o No. 40 Machenahalli, Honnasandra, Nelamangala, Bengaluru Rural – 562123. **2) Mrs. Indira V,** W/o Hanume Gowda R/o Site No. 29, Basavanahalli Village Nelamangala Near Manjunatha Layout, Basavanahalli Government School Shri Kannappa Swamy Temple, Nelamangala Railways Station, Bengaluru-562123. **3) Sri. Hanume Gowda. H,** S/o Hanumanthaiah, Residing at No. 40 Machenahalli, Honnasandra, Nelamangala, Bengaluru Rural – 562123. **4) Sri. Hanume Gowda. H,** S/o Hanumanthaiah R/o Site No.29, Basavanahalli Village Nelamangala Near Manjunatha Layout, Basavanahalli Government School Shri Kannappa Swamy Temple, Nelamangala Railways Station, Bengaluru-562123, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 12,58,221.05 Paisa (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Fifty Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty One and Paisa Five Only) as on 12.04.2026** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described here in below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **29th June 2026.**

The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

"We further invite your attention to sub section (8) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you may redeem the secured assets, if the amount of dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is tendered by you, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction/inviting quotations/tender /private treaty. Please note that after publication of the notice as above, your right to redeem the secured assets will not be available."

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Bank of Baroda** for an amount **Rs. 12,58,221.05 Paisa (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Fifty Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty One and Paisa Five Only) as on 12.04.2026,** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No. 29, Kaneshmari No. 697/29, E-Khatha No.150300700700102963 Carved out of converted to residential purpose the land bearing Sy. No. 57/1, Situated at Manjunatha Lay-out, Basavanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District formed in converted land as per the DC Conversion Order dated 04.02.1998 bearing No. BDS.ALN.(N)SR.91/97-98 measuring East to West: 40 Feet, North to South 30 Feet, totally measuring 1200 Square Feet and bounded on: East by: Site No. 18, West by: Road , North by: Site No. 28, South by: Site No. 30.

Date : 29.06.2026
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Bank of Baroda

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Regional Office, Bengaluru Central, 5th Floor, Vijaya Towers, No.41/2, Trinity Circle, M.G.Road, Bengaluru-560001. Ph: 080-22263132, e-mail:sarbec@bankofbaroda.bank.in website: www.bankofbaroda.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY "APPENDIX-IV-A [See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s), Mortgagor(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **28.07.2026 "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of dues in below mentioned account. The details of Borrower/s/Mortgagor/s/Guarantor/s/ Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below :

Sl. No.	Name & address of Borrower/s, Mortgagor/s and Guarantor/ s	Detailed description of the immovable/moveable property with known Encumbrances, if any	Total Dues	Date & Time of E-Auction	Reserve Price, EMD, Last Date of EMD Amount and Bid Increment Amount	Status of Possession (Constructive/ Physical)	Property Inspection Date & Time
1	**(1) Mrs. Nemelipuri Pushpalatha,** W/o Mr.Krishna Chandra Srikanth Nemelipuri D/o Mr. Theppala Krishna Rao 53-38-7, 4F-4, Shiva Karthik Residency KRM Colony, Seetammadhara Visakhapatanam, Andhra Pradesh-530013 **And also at:** U-7,474, Upper Edward Street, Spring le Hill 4000 Australia. **And also at:** Flat No. S 102 P.No. 137, Pranav Arcade Siddartha Nagar, SR Nagar Hyderabad-500038. **(2) Mr. Theppala Krishna Rao** S/o Mr. Laxminarayana Rao 53-38-7, 4F-4,Shiva Karthik Residency KRM Colony, Seetammadhara Visakhapatanam, Andhra Pradesh-530013.	**SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY:** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing residentially converted land in Sy No.119/2 (Vide Official Memorandum No.ALN(A)(SH) SR98A/2011-12 dated 21/10/2011 issued by the Deputy commissioner, Bangalore District, presently bearing Handenahalli Village Panchayath Khata No.92/180, situated at S. Medahalli Village Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District, totally measuring 69,815 Square Feet. (Out of the total extent of 1 Acres 32 Guntas, an area measuring 52'10"x162'8" on the Northern Side is left for the Road widening) and bounded On the: East by : Property bearing Sy No.119/1, Westby : Property bearing Sy No.119/3, North by : Road, South by : Property bearing Sy No.117. **SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY:** 2333.54 Square Feet, Share of undivided interest in the schedule A Property with a right to construct and own Schedule C Property is the subject matter of sale in this Deed. **SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY:** All that piece and parcel of the Apartment / residential unit No.180/7A also known as A6, (presently bearing E Khata No.180/7A, Sl No. 150200102701020439) also known as A6, on the basement, ground, first and second floors, of VAISHNAVI ANANTYA, being constructed on Schedule 'A' Property in terms of sanction plan, vide LAO 91/2011-12, dated 10.02.2012, duly sanctioned by the Anekal Development Authority, consisting of living, dining room, 4 Bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom/s and toilet/s, balconies. servant's room together with common areas and facilities attributable thereto, with a super built up area of 5121.56 sq.ft. (Builtup area / plinth area is 3812.265 Sq.ft and proportionate common area is 1309.293 sq.ft), and A Covered car parking space, measuring 270 sq.ft, along within the exempted amenities. The Villa is of RCC roofing, vitrified tiled flooring, wooden doors and windows and bounded on the : East by : Boulevard and Mayura Daffodils, West by :Villa No.180/8B, North by : Villa No. 180/6A, South by : Indus International School.	**Rs.4,33,89,810/- (Rs. Four Crore Thirty Three Lakhs Eighty Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Ten Only) and interest thereon from 04/02/2024 at the contractual rate plus cost, charges and expenses till date of payment.**	**28.07.2026 From 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM**	**Reserve Price: Rs.1,87,20,000/- EMD: Rs.18,72,000/- Last date and Time of Receipt of EMD 28.07.2026 upto 6.00 pm Bid Increment Amount: Rs. 1,00,000/-**	**Physical Possession**	**With Prior Appointment from authorized officer**

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer/visit to the website link https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction and online auction portal Baanknet.com Also, prospective bidders may contact the Authorised officer on Tel No: 080-25011426, Mobile: 9440647971.
Note: All charges including property tax, Electricity charges, Water Bills and Maintenance charges etc if any other charges shall be borne by the successful bidder only.

Date: 01.07.2026
Place:- Bengaluru

Authorised Officer, Bank of Baroda

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ARM Branch– II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No.86, M G Road, Bengaluru-560001. Telephone numbers 080-25310181 – e-mail – cb6298@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described Immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM-2 Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 22.07.2026 from 1.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. [with unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of sale],** through E-Auction under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of **E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **21.07.2026.** (₹. in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	Borrower Name/ Description of the movable / immovable assets	Total Liabilities as per Sale Notice	Details and Full Description of the Property	Reserve Price & EMD
1.	**(1) M/s VRR Aqua Traders** No. 401 Pent House, 9th main HRBR Layout, 1st Block Kalyan Nagar, Bengalore-560043 **(2) M/s VRR Aqua Traders** Registered Office: No.19-16-11K, Ward No.11, Katarai Nagar, Bhmavaram, West Godavari, Andhra Pradeesh-524201 **(3) M/s VRR Aqua Traders** # S2, II Floor, GEM Plaza, No.66, Infantry Road, Bangalore-560001. **(4) Mr. Budharaju Venkata Ravi Kumar** C/o Budharaju Ranganadha Raju, No.48, M 456, 1ST Block, HRBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar,4th Cross, Bangalore-560043. **(5) Mr.Budharaju Venkata Ravi Kumar Raju** No. 7BM-456, Situated at I Block, HRBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar, 4th Cross, 7th B Main, Bangalore-560043. **(6) Mr. Budharaju Venkata Ravi Kumar Raju** Flat No.302, Punnami Towers, T V Tower Road, ASR Nagar, Bhimavaram, West Godavari, Andhra Pradesh-534202. **(7) M/s Dupoint Advisory Private Limited** Represented by Director Mr. Budharaju Vankata Ravi Kumar Raju, Flat No. 302, Punnami Towers, T V Tower Road, ASR Nagar, Bhimavaram, West Godavari, Andhra Pradesh-534202. **(8) M/s Dupoint Advisory Private Limited** (Formerly Doopadagiri Corporate Services Private Limited),Registered Office, # S2, II Floor, GEM Plaza, No.66, Infantyry Road, Bangalore-560001. **(9) Mrs. Ramadevi Budharaju** M/s Dupoint Advisory Private Limited (Formerly Doopandagiri Corporate Services Private Limited), Registered Office, # S2, II Floor, GEM Plaza, No.66, Infantry Road, Bangalore-560001.	**Rs. 6,94,65,156.29 (Rupees Six crores Ninety four lakhs sixty five thousand one hundred fifty six and twenty nine paisa only) plus further interest thereon from 29.06.2026 and other expenses**	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing units Nos. S-8(a) & S-8(b), BBMP No. 66, PID No. 79-43-66/56 & S-9(a) & 9(b), BBMP No. 66/57 PID No.7-43-66/57 in the Second Floor along with total build up area of 2832 Sq.ft., Along with undivided share and interest in the land equitable to 934.56 Sq.ft., Out of a total land area of 50,150 Sq.ft, with three open car parks bearing No. 56,67 & 58 in the Ground Floor, Construction on property bearing No.66 the entire Commercial Complex, Thereon and Known as 'Gem Plaza' measuring East to West 210(64 mts) on the eastern side and 200'4'(61.06 mts) on the Western side, in all about 50,150 Sq.ft, 4659 Sq.mtr, Situated Infrantry Road Civil Station, Division No.70, Bangalore-560001 and Bounded on the: East by: Property bearing No.67, West by: Property bearing No.64 Infantry Road, North by: Property facing hospital road, South by; Infantry Road **Name of Title holder: M/s Dupoint Advisory Private Limited its Represented by Director Sri Budharaju Venkata Ravi Kumar Raju.**	**Reserve Price Rs. 567.00 Lakhs EMD Rs. 56.70 Lakhs**

OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS : **(a)** Auction / bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the website **https://baanknet.com/** Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings. **(b)** The property can be inspected, with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer. **(c)** The property will be sold for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process. **(d)** EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (BAANKNET) portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan. **(e)** After payment of the EMD amount, the intending bidders should submit a copy of the following documents/details on or before **21.07.2026,** to Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore by hand OR Email. **(i)** Demand Draft/Pay order towards EMD amount. If paid through RTGS/NEFT Acknowledgement receipt thereof with UTR No. **(ii)** Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank at the time of making payment of balance amount of 25% of bid amount. **(iii)** Bid Form. The intending bidders should register their names at portal **https://baanknet.com/** and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider, M/s.PSB Alliance (BAANKNET) - e- mail: support.baanknet@psballiance.com (f) EMD deposited by the unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them. The EMD/Sale proceeds shall not carry any interest. **(f)** Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. Bidders shall improve their offers in multiplies of **Rs.1,00,000/-.** The bidder who submits the highest bid (not below the Reserve price) on closure of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder. Sale shall be confirmed in favour of the successful bidder, subject to confirmation of the same by the secured creditor. **(g)** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the sale price (inclusive of EMD already paid), immediately on declaring him/her as the successful bidder and the balance within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. If the successful bidder fails to pay the sale price, the deposit made by him shall be forfeited by the Authorized Officer without any notice and property shall forthwith be put up for sale again. This amount shall be deposited by way of Demand draft in favour of Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, ARM II Branch OR shall be deposited through RTGS / NEFT / Fund Transfer to credit of account of **Canara Bank, ARM II Branch, A/c. No. 209272434, IFSC Code: CNRB0006298. (h)** For sale proceeds of **Rs.50.00 Lakhs (Rupees Fifty lacs)** and above, the successful bidder will have to deduct TDS at a rate 1% or as applicable on the sale proceeds and submit the original receipt of TDS certificate to the bank. **(i)** All charges for Conveyance, Stamp Duty/GST/Registration Charges etc. As applicable shall be borne by the successful bidder only. **(j)** Authorised Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the E-auction without assigning any reason thereof. **(k)** In case there are bidders who do not have access to the internet but interested in participating the E-auction, they can approach Canara Bank Circle office, Bengaluru or Canara Bank ARM II Branch, Bengaluru, who as a facilitating centre shall make necessary arrangements. **(l)** Bidder has to make due diligence and physical verification of property with regard to title, extent, area, dues, suits and cases etc. No claim subsequent to submission of bid shall be entertained by the bank. **(m)** After confirmation of sale, bidder's request cannot be accepted for refund of amount which is already paid and Bank will proceed as per SARFAESI Act.

For further details contact Authorized Officer, Canara Bank , ARM Branch-2- (9113092975, 8921102717, 7892927914, 9464534482, 8709675503 and 080-25310181) e-mail id – cb6298@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/s.PSB Alliance(BAANKNET) e- mail: support.BAANKNET@psballiance.com.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION / CAUTION

Bidding in the last minutes/seconds should be avoided by the bidders in their own interest. Neither Canara Bank nor the Service Provider will be responsible for any lapses/failure (Internet failure, Power failure, etc.) on the part of the bidder or vendor in such cases. In order to ward off such contingent situation, bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/alternatives such as back –up, power supply and whatever else required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the auction successfully.

Date : 30.06.2026
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised officer
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TENDER NOTICE

C-DIT invites e tender for the "Supply of Aluminum Metalized Tamper Evident Film" on a running contract basis" Last date: 09.07.2026, 03.00 PM Tender id: 2026_CDIT_858324_1 For details visit www.cdit.org

01.07.2026 Registrar, C-DIT

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public is hereby informed that the original Unregistered Agreement for Sale & Construction dated.17.10.2014 pertaining to the immovable property described in the schedule below & belonging to my client Mr.Harish Wanchoo and Ms. Riddhi Wanchoo have been lost. In this regard a complaint has already been registered with the Jurisdictional Police. Finders are hereby requested to return the same to the undersigned. Any transaction based on the lost original sale deed will not be binding on my client, if the same is carried out without his written consent.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Apartment **No.B-402, on the 4th Floor, of Tower B, in Cluster II, with BBMP Khatha No.367/13/2-87, 4 (Four) Bedroom** in residential apartment complex known as **"THE ICON"** – North Bengaluru with a Saleable area admeasuring 2695 square feet along with exclusive rights to use 1 number of car parking space/s in the Basement, having New PID No.8344856372, **820.22 sq.** ft. of undivided share, right, title and interest in the said Property proportionate to the Saleable Area of the Apartment in converted land admeasuring in the aggregate 66508.94 sq. mtrs. (excluding Reliquinshed area) or thereabouts with BBMP khatha No. 13/2 comprising of Survey Numbers - 47/1(p), 47/2(p), 48/1(p), 48/2(p), 48/4, 48/5, 48/6(p), 48/7, 48/8(p), 49/2(p), 50/2(p), 51(p), 52/1, 52/2, 52/7, 52/8, 53, 54/1, 54/2, 54/3, 54/4, 55/1, 55/2, 55/3, 55/4, 55/5(p), 55/6 (p), 55/7(p), 55/9(p), 56/1, 56/2(p), 56/3(p), 56/4 (p), 58/2, 59/2, and 60/1, of Thanisandra Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk) situate lying and being at Thanisandra Main Road, Ward No.6, Thanisandra, Bengaluru.

Sd/- **Shiva Kumar Law Firm,**
Advocates and Legal Consultants
No.2, 1st Floor, 2nd Cross, HRBR 1st Block, Kalynagar, Bangalore-32. (Next to Banaswadi Sub Registrar Office)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that, our clients has proposed to purchase the Schedule property mentioned hereunder from its present owner **SMT. USHA** W/o. Late. S. Vinokar along with her children and all are Residing at No.280/1, Bande Road, Near Kogilu Layout Auto Stand, Kogilu Layout, Jakkur Post, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore-560064., Person/s objecting for the proposed purchase or having any right, share, title and interest in the Schedule property may lodge their objections/claims with the undersigned counsel along with supporting documentary evidence within **14 days** from this day of publication and any objection/claims received thereafter will not be binding on our clients and our clients will proceed to purchase the below mentioned Schedule property as if there are no claims/objections.

-: SCHEDULE PROPERTY :-

All that part and parcel of an Immovable Property bearing **Site bearing Nos.1, 2 & 2 (Eastern Portion), present BBMP Katha No.1070/1221/1087/109/2226/1/2 and 2 (Eastern portion) Situated at Kogilu Layout, Kogilu Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now Yelahanka Taluk, presently comes under the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No.5-Jakkur and assigned Old PID No.1070/109/1,1221/109/2& 1087/109/2, New E-PID No.8385807184, Measuring East to West 37½ feet and North to South 60 feet totally measuring to an extent of 2250 Sq.feet & out of which 750 Sq.feet Non-residential building were constructed thereon with brick walls, RCC Roof, Mosaic Flooring and having Electricity connections to it, with all rights appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface**, and which is bounded as follows:- **East By : Private Property, West By : Property belongs to Yashoda, North By : Road, South By : Property belongs to Venkatamma and Private Property.**

M. KIRAN KUMAR, Advocate
MKS LAW ASSOCIATES
No.72, 2nd Cross, 1st Main, Kaveri River Road, Brundhavan Nagar, Bangalore-560019. Mob: 8050019912.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the general public that I, on behalf of my client, am investigating the ownership right, title and interest of **IHHR Hospitality Private Limited** (CIN: U74899PN1979PTC180219) having its registered office at Hyatt Pune, 88, Nagar Road Kalyani Nagar, Adjacent to Aga Khan Palace, Pune -411006, Maharashtra, India, to the following property:

All that piece and parcel of land and building bearing Municipal No. 1/1 (Originally part of premises bearing Municipal No. 1) admeasuring 44,449.53 sq. ft. equivalent to approximately 4,129.49 square meters or thereabouts situated at Swami Vivekanand Road (formerly known as Old Madras Road), Ulsoor BMP Division No. 81, Bangalore-560008, Karnataka, together with the hotel structure standing thereon, being operated in the name and style of **"Hyatt Bangalore"**, having total built up area 20904.57 square feet, together with all rights, easements, and appurtenances thereto, and bounded as under:

East: By Conservance Lane/ Small dwelling units

West: Partly by land bearing premises No.1/4, Swami Vivekanand Road (formerly as Old Madras Road)

North: By Road and Kensinton Apartments

South: By Swami Vivekanand Road (formerly as Old Madras Road).

Any person including but not limited to an individual, a Hindu undivided family, company, authority, banks, financial institution/s, non-banking financial institution/s, housing finance companies, asset reconstruction companies, any trust, a firm, an association of persons or a body of individuals whether incorporated or not, lenders, creditors and/ or authority having any direct or indirect claim, demand, right, title, share, interest, benefit and/or objection whatsoever against any or in respect of the aforesaid property or any part or portion thereof, whether by way of sale, transfer, exchange, assignment, gift, bequest, lease, sub-lease, tenancy, sub-tenancy, leave and license, license, covenant, mortgage, encumbrance, lien, charge, trust, inheritance, succession, agreement, contract, memorandum of understanding, easement, right of way, occupation, care-taker basis, possession, family arrangement, settlement, agreement or any other method through deed, document, writing, maintenance, decree or order of any Court of law, lis pendens, attachment, reservation, development rights, FSI consumption, or any liability or commitment or demand of any nature whatsoever or otherwise howsoever are hereby called upon to make their objection, if any, in writing, supported with documentary evidence, to the undersigned having office at B-2/10, Janak Puri, New Delhi-110058 **within 10 (ten) days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, it will be presumed that no one has any right, title, interest in the said property and/or any part or portion thereof as claimed and mentioned hereinabove and the claim or claims, if any, of such person or persons shall be considered to have been waived and/or abandoned & shall not be binding on our client.

Dated this1st day of July, 2026.

Sunil Salooja (Advocate)
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The borrowers/guarantor(s)/mortgagor(s) having failed to repay the said amounts, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/guarantor(s)/mortgagor(s) in particular and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the underlying Immovable Properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Sub-Section (4) of Section 13 of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on "AS IS WHERE IS & WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS" on the date mentioned below.

Sl. No	Borrowers Name and Guarantors	Demand Notice	Possession Date
1	**Borrowers: M/s. MBS White Palace Hotel And Conventions, Address: No. 2642/35, Opp. RV Engineering College, Mysore Road, Pattanagere, Bangalore- 560056 Mr. Shivakumar M. B, Address: Plot No.28 & 29, Residential House at Behind Maramma Temple, Nagadevana Bangalore- 560056. M/s. Yashaswini Hospitalities Address: No. 35, 8th Main, Opp. to VRL, Mysore Road, Bangalore-560059 and M/s. M.B. Shivakumar Seva Trust Address: No.76/6, Valagerahalli, Opp R V Engineering College Mysore Road, Bangalore- 560059 Guarantors: (1) Mr. Shivakumar M. B, (2) Mr. Manjunath B.N. (3) Late Mr. Shivappa M. B. through his legal heirs Mr. Shivakumar M. B and Mr. Shivananda (4) Smt. H. P. Gayathri**	**Rs. 45,63,51,247/- (Rupees Forty-Five Crore Sixty-Three Lakhs Fifty-One Thousand And Two Hundred And Forty-Seven Only) outstanding as on July 31, 2022 together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. Notice dated: January 3, 2023**	**June 29, 2026**

Description of Immovable Properties:

1. Property owned and mortgaged by Mr. Shivakumar M.B.: All that piece and parcel of converted immovable property bearing SY. No. 35, Block 4 & 5, Conversion Order vide No. BDS/ ALN (s) SR (KT) 127/2003-04 dated March 20, 2004, Five Floors Building situated at Mysuru - Bengaluru State Highway, bearing Katha No 2642/35, Ward No. 130, measuring 20 Gunthas/ 21780 Sq. ft., and Edu. Institute L&B: BIMS College, BBMP Katha No. 4544/ 35, Block No.2 measuring 19 Gunths of Hyne Land plus 4 Gunthas of Kharab, Ullalu, Pattanagere village, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Karnataka 560 059
2. Property owned and mortgaged by Mr. Shivakumar M.B.: All that piece and parcel of vacant site bearing No. 29, Katha No. 2481/ 2286/ 32/ 05/ 29 situated at Nagadevanahalli, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South. Taluk, Bangalore District, now comes under Ward No.130, Ullalu, Bangalore, totally measuring 4180 sq. ft. and building thereon.
3. Property owned and mortgaged by Mr. Shivakumar M.B.: All that piece and parcel of vacant site bearing No. 28, Katha No. 2481/ 2286/ 32/ 05/ 28 situated at Nagadevanahalli, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South. Taluk, Bangalore District, now comes under Ward No. 130, Ullalu, Bangalore, totally measuring 4180 sq. ft. and building thereon.
4. Property owned and mortgaged by Late Mr. Shivappa M.B. through legal heirs Mr. Shivakumar M.B.; Mr. Shivananda and Ms. Gayathri: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No. New 12 (Old No. 137/138), PID No. 40- 45-12 situated at 4th Main Road, The Chamaranjpete Art Silk Handloom Viewers and Exporters Association Layout, Attiguppe, Vijayanagar, 2nd Stage, BBMP Ward No. 40, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 60-0 Feet, North to South 38.5 Feet, in all measuring 2310 sq. ft.
5. Property owned and mortgaged by Mr. Shivakumar M.B.: All that piece and parcel of residential house bearing No.551, "E" Road, Ideal Home Township, I1 Phase, Rajarajeshwarinagar, Bengaluru-560 098, situated in the Private Lay- out, formed by the Ideal Homes Co-op Building. Society Ltd., Kenchenahalli, Bengaluru South Taluk, measuring East to West: 60-0 Feet, North to South 45-0 Feet, totally measuring 2700 sq. ft.

Hereinafter referred to as **"Immovable Properties"**

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The borrowers'/ guarantors'/ mortgagors' attention is invited to the provisions of the Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the said Act, in respect of time available to redeem the above mentioned Immovable Property.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Limited
Trustee of Arcil- CPS- 081-I- Trust

Place : Bangalore
Date : June 29, 2026

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The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of **E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through **RTGS/NEFT** in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **20.07.2026 - 5.00 pm.** (₹.In Lakhs)

Lot	Description of the immovable assets	Reserve Price	EMD	Increment al Value	Inspection date & time
1	Property bearing R S No. 59/1 measuring 1 acres situated at Madhavapura, Belguam and bounded on the East by R S No. 58, West by R S No.76, North by R S No. 57 and South by R S No.77. **Coordinates of the property Latitude- 15.8355970, Longitude- 74.5308150**	₹. 162.00	₹. 16.20	₹. 1.00	06.07.2026 10.00 AM to 2.00 PM. with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
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Date : 01.07.2026
Place: Bengaluru

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Lot	Description of the immovable assets:	Reserve Price	EMD	Incremental Value at bid	Inspection date & time
1	**Schedule A' property :** All that piece and parcel of property residentially converted land measuring 2 Acres 8 Guntas in Sy No. 108/2, situated at Kachanayakanahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, (Land converted for non agriculture residential purposes vide Official Memorandum dated 11/11/1992 vide B/DIS/ALN/SR(A)/103/1998-99, issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore), together with 200 residential apartment known as Garden Residency unit/s in A,B,C,D, E & F Blocks together with car parking slots and bounded on the : East by : Land in Sy No.108/2, West by : Road, carved out of Kharab land, North by : Road, carved out of Kharab land, Sotuh by : Tank Bed. **Schedule 'B' property :** 400 sq. ft of undivided share, right, title and interest in schedule 'A' property which is the corresponding undivided share in respect of Schedule Apartment Unit. **Schedule 'C' property :** All that piece and parcel of property comprising one apartment unit, i.e. Flat bearing Flat No. E-203, Totally measuring a super built up area of 1089 Sq.ft situated in the second floor, in E Block, along with one Covered Car Parking space in the basement/Surface/Stilt Floor, (which is also inclusive of Balconies and and proportionate share in the common areas). **Lattitude: 12.48173, Longitude: 77.40370**	₹. 41.00	₹. 4.10	₹. 1.00	08.07.2026 10.00 AM to 2.00 PM. with Prior Appointmen t with Authorised Officer

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Date : 01.07.2026
Place: Bengaluru

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EDITORIAL

"To recover our sense of geography, we first must fix the moment in recent history when we most profoundly lost it, explain why we lost it and elucidate how that affected our assumptions" — Robert D Kaplan

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— Ramnath Goenka

ECONOMY HOLDS FIRM, MONSOON RISK LOOMS

A series of fresh data points indicate that the Indian economy has remained resilient despite headwinds on multiple fronts. While the fallout of the Gulf war remains uncertain and the US continues to send mixed signals on tariffs, several indicators suggest that the economy has weathered these challenges for now. Industrial production grew 5.1 percent in May, the highest in five months, while total exports surged nearly 16 percent, led by an 18 percent rise in merchandise exports to a record monthly high of $45 billion. Although concerns have been raised about the Centre's fiscal position following recent tax concessions and emergency support measures, revenue collections have remained robust. Net direct tax collections up to June 17 grew 14 percent, while gross GST collections rebounded with 14 percent growth in June after a subdued 3.2 percent in May. One of the biggest concerns arising from the Gulf war was its potential impact on remittances. However, a recent finance ministry report showed that net transfers from Gulf countries rose sharply to $16 billion in April 2026 from $9.4 billion a year earlier.

Indicators of domestic demand also point to resilient private consumption. Domestic GST collections grew around 6.5 percent, while passenger vehicle sales showed little sign of being affected by either the Gulf conflict or higher fuel prices. After recording growth of 25 percent in April and 27 percent in May, domestic passenger vehicle sales are expected to post another double-digit increase in June. The sharp correction in crude oil prices—with benchmark Brent now hovering around the $70-a-barrel mark—along with easing global supply-chain pressures, should provide further relief to the economy. With geopolitical tensions easing, GDP growth could edge closer to 7 percent, and several analysts have already begun revising their forecasts upwards. The first-quarter corporate results, due from next week, will reveal whether the Indian economy has indeed escaped the geopolitical shocks with limited damage.

However, it would be premature to conclude that the economy is out of the woods. The lagged effects of supply-chain disruptions could continue to be felt over the coming months, while the delayed progress of the southwest monsoon poses medium-term risks. The government, therefore, cannot afford to let its guard down and must remain vigilant in the face of evolving global and domestic challenges.

PREVENTIVE CUSTODY LAW NEEDS CLEAR GUARDRAILS

TWO Bills passed by the West Bengal Assembly on Monday have sparked a debate that goes beyond the state. Together, the West Bengal Public Safety and Control of Anti-social Activities Bill and amendments to the West Bengal Maintenance of Public Order Act transform how the state deals with crime, while reshaping the balance between administrative power and individual liberty.

The state government argues that the law, which allows preventive detention up to 12 months, was needed to tackle organised crime, illegal mining, extortion and other activities that threaten public order. In doing this, West Bengal did not break new ground—Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Gujarat and Maharashtra already have similar laws. The Bengal Bill defines "anti-social activities" in broad terms, covering acts "likely" to disturb public order. It also permits repeated detention if the authorities believe a person may engage in such activities again. Most troubling is the provision that legal representation before the Advisory Board is not a matter of right but of permission. Since the Advisory Board decides whether detention should continue, denying a detainee an effective opportunity to present his or her case weakens a key protection against Executive overreach and raises the risk of arbitrary confinement.

Article 22 of the Constitution permits preventive detention, but only as an exceptional measure. In *Ameena Begum vs State of Telangana* (2023), the Supreme Court reiterated that preventive detention is not a substitute for ordinary criminal law and cannot be invoked for routine law-and-order problems. In another judgement, the court described such laws as a colonial legacy with a "high potential for abuse and misuse", stressing the need for strict limits on Executive power.

Critics maintain that stronger policing, faster investigations and better prosecution, rather than wider Executive powers, offer a more durable answer to organised crime. They also argue that the Bill's broad wording could allow even a first-time offender to be detained if authorities believe they may disturb public order.

The debate, therefore, goes beyond West Bengal. Preventive detention has long been part of Indian law, but its legitimacy rests on one principle: it must remain an exceptional power. Any law that expands Executive authority must be matched by equally strong safeguards. That is the constitutional standard every preventive detention law should meet.

QUICK TAKE

CASE FOR TOURISM TAX

THE Gulmarg Development Authority's decision to impose an odd-even rule for four-wheelers headed to the ski resort is welcome. Over-tourism is indeed a growing problem in the world's most populous nation and ecologically fragile areas need extra care for preservation. We can learn from the experience of global hotspots in regulating tourist flows. The Glacier National Park in the US has an online reservation system that restricts daily visitor numbers. Machu Picchu restricts access in one-hour slots to avoid everyone rushing at the same time. Venice imposes a congestion fee for day-trippers and tourist tax for overnight stayers in its peak season. A combination of these can work for most hotspots in India. Only, the levy thus gathered must be used to keep the spots clean and well-tended.

Three years on, Manipur's ethnic conflict continues to be affected by the state's geography. Not every grievance should be reduced to a binary that pits one group against another

WHEN VIOLENCE IS EMBEDDED IN THE GEOGRAPHY

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THE ethnic conflict in Manipur has reached a point from where there is no tangible way left than to turn back. For the sake of those exposed to mayhem, hopefully this will be the case. To still not think of reconciliation and healing even at this juncture would be a betrayal of an innate Freudian death wish in them all.

Till February 7, on the edge of completing three years on May 3, the conflict was largely confined to two ethnic groups, the Meiteis in the Imphal valley and the Kuki-Zo group of tribes, who are spread thin across all districts of the state and are concentrated in the lower hills surrounding the central Imphal valley.

After February 7, the Nagas who live on the higher reaches of the mountains were dragged into the conflict in a big way, complicating the equation. It started with a brawl that took place at Litan, a foothill village along the Imphal-Ukhrul road, in which a Tangkhul Naga private tutor returning after taking an evening class ran into two drunk Kuki youth, who took offence at him pointing his torch at them and badly beat him up.

Patch-up efforts fell through for reasons that differ, depending on which side is offering the explanation. By February 9, open confrontations exploded and spread. It also rekindled dangerous old frictions between the Kukis and the Zeliangrong Nagas in Kangpokpi and Tamenglong districts.

Things took a nightmarish turn after a May 13 ambush by unknown militants along a stretch of a road between two Kuki villages in Kangpokpi district—Kotlen and Kotzim—killing three respected Thadou pastors of the Thadou Baptist Association and injuring five others. The entourage was returning to Kangpokpi from Churachandpur, where the association had organised a peace conclave.

Kukis allege that the ambush was a handiwork of Naga militants. Nagas, however, counter this saying it was the outcome of factional fights among Kukis. They point out that a section of the Thadou population has been claiming they are not in the Kuki fold, thus causing frictions within. This section of the Thadou tribe has been reaching out for a settlement of the ethnic problem in the state.

Whatever the truth behind the ambush, it provoked tragic repercussions almost immediately. Kukis accosted 20 Naga villagers returning to their village Konsakhul while they were passing through Kuki village Leilon Vaiphei. In reciprocation, Nagas took 28 Kukis hostage from the Taphou and Hengbung villages.

On the third day after the kidnapping, both sides released 14 captives each, essentially women, children and older men, on humanitarian grounds. This left six Nagas still in Kuki custody and 14 Kukis in Naga custody.

A dangerous stalemate followed, but 27 days later, on June 9, responding to insistent appeals from all quarters, the Naga captors released the remaining 14 Kuki captives, bringing hope. The Kuki captors, however, did not reciprocate, prompting a combined operation by a team of central and state security forces at Leilon Vaiphei and nearby areas on June 10 that recovered the badly mutilated and decaying corpses of the six Naga captives.

In all likelihood, intelligence reports were available that the Nagas had not eliminated their captives but the Kukis had. Which is why there was urgent pressure on the Nagas to release their captives, for if it became known that the six Nagas in Kuki custody had been killed, the lives of the 14 Kukis in Naga custody could also have been endangered.

Much atrocity has happened on all sides during the three years of the conflict. But none can match the chillingly cold-blooded execution of the six Naga captives. No boastful angry claims of vengeance, no hateful swears, no bargains for concessions as hostages are normally used for. They were simply eliminated and made to disappear.

The consequence has been devastating. All movements of the warring communities are now restricted within their safe zones. The Meiteis are now largely confined within the Imphal valley, the Nagas are stuck on the upper reaches of the mountains and the Kukis, who live largely in the foothills adjoining the Imphal valley, are now left sandwiched between their two adversaries, Nagas and Meiteis.

Indications already are that if this freeze does not lift and the communities continue to throttle the supply of essential commodities to each other, their sufferings will aggravate. The areas that are geographically more vulnerable are already sensing a humanitarian crisis. The Kukis—most of whose settlements are embedded within Naga areas and are now cut off from the Imphal valley—are bearing the brunt.

There is a vital lesson in this unfolding tragedy. As Robert D Kaplan cautioned in his 2012 bestseller *The Revenge of Geography: What the Map Tells Us About Coming Conflicts and the Battle Against Fate* and, before him, Halford Mackinder in his 1904 book *The Geographical Pivot of History*, certain geographies are integral and disturbing this integrity can lead to deadly conflicts.

The authors point out that many, if not most, conflicts all over the world were foretold by their geographies, illustrating this thesis with convincing examples from devastating wars past and present. This postulate should also throw valuable light in the understanding of complex conflict dynamics witnessed in places like Manipur. It is also a reminder that it is time for all stakeholders to re-evaluate their own understanding of the tragedy they are in.

Only a realistic diagnosis of the problem can ensure realistic remedies. Many of the underlying prejudices that have caused these hateful differences, such as the pace of regional development, did not necessarily have to have come out of anybody's motivation, but instead from geographical destiny. Hence, not every grievance should be reduced to binaries that pit one against the other.

As in any less-than-liberal democracy, in Manipur too there are demagogic leaders inclined to take advantage of this predicament, never sparing any opportunity to create ethnic rifts that benefit their own vote banks. Hopefully, they too have realised the harmful potential of such politics and will choose to tone down their damaging electoral rhetoric.

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THE NEED TO REVERSE AGEISM

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ON June 15, when the world observed Elder Abuse Awareness Day, Kerala gave India a timely reason to think harder about ageing. The state's decision to launch a separate department for senior citizens' welfare was more than a bureaucratic announcement. It was a recognition that older adults need more than pensions and healthcare schemes. They also need protection, visibility and a system that can respond when things go wrong.

The timing is significant. Kerala has one of India's fastest-ageing populations and is often seen as a preview of the country's demographic future.

The state recognises that beyond disease, the most common threats to older people come from neglect, coercion, humiliation, financial exploitation and social isolation. Elder abuse rarely begins with violence. It may begin with a delayed medical visit, restricted access to money, repeated insults, pressure to transfer property, or the quiet withdrawal of care. It often happens where trust is expected most: inside families.

A few years ago, an 82-year-old retired schoolteacher was brought to a clinic by a neighbour. Her son lived abroad. Her daughter called every Sunday. On paper, she was well cared for. Money came regularly. Medicines were bought. A caregiver visited daily. Yet she had lost weight, stopped bathing regularly and was storing stale food in her refrigerator. Only after repeated conversations did she reveal that the caregiver routinely shouted at her and withheld help unless paid extra. She had never complained because she feared being abandoned. Her situation improved only after the neighbour intervened, the caregiver was replaced and her children arranged a local care plan. The lesson was simple: abuse is often detected first by someone who notices.

India is not without legal safeguards. The Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007 provides a mechanism for maintenance and protection of property. The national helpline for senior citizens—Elderline 14567—offers support and intervention. Yet much of the abuse remains underreported. Many older adults do not want to file complaints against family members. Others fear retaliation, abandonment or social stigma. A purely legal response is, therefore, often too late.

This is where Kerala's move could make a genuine difference. Its main value will lie in creating a coordinated response system. Countries such as Singapore and Australia have increasingly integrated healthcare, social services and community reporting mechanisms to identify vulnerable older adults before crises occur. Kerala can adapt similar principles to local realities.

For example, a primary-care doctor noticing repeated unexplained weight loss, a bank employee observing unusual withdrawals, a community nurse seeing untreated pressure sores, or a police officer responding to repeated domestic complaints should all know when and how to trigger support. A dedicated department

PEXELS

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can develop standard protocols, maintain verified caregiver registries, strengthen district-level response teams, coordinate home visits and support families dealing with dementia, disability and caregiver stress. As per Kerala's Chief Minister V D Satheesan, this new department will first examine the similar model in Japan and then conduct a comprehensive statewide study to refine its functioning.

Another equally familiar scenario. A 76-year-old widower began visiting his bank every few weeks to withdraw unusually large sums of money. He looked anxious. He avoided eye contact. He kept saying he was acting voluntarily. A bank employee noticed that his son answered most questions on his behalf. Later, during a medical visit, it emerged that the father had been pressured to transfer part of his house. There was no physical violence. No police complaint. Yet the abuse was real.

What changed the situation was not one dramatic intervention. The bank delayed the transaction. The doctor documented concerns. A local senior citizens' cell became involved. A family meeting followed. The father eventually retained control of his property and moved temporarily to his daughter's home. The outcome could have been very different.

Cases like these show why elder abuse cannot remain a private family matter. Older people may not always say, "I am being abused." They may say, "I am tired." Or, "I am afraid." Or simply, "Please don't tell anyone I spoke to you."

But prevention starts even earlier. It starts with how society views ageing. Ageism remains one of the least discussed drivers of elder abuse. When older people are seen as burdensome, stubborn or "past their time", neglect becomes easier to justify.

That is why awareness cannot begin only in old age. It must begin in schools and colleges. Canada, Japan and Australia have introduced intergenerational programmes where students volunteer with older adults, document their life stories or participate in community projects together. Such initiatives do more than reduce prejudice. They remind younger people that ageing is not somebody else's future. It is their own.

Kerala's new department offers an opportunity to move the conversation beyond welfare. The real measure of success will not be the number of schemes announced. It will be whether an older person in distress knows whom to call, is believed when they speak and receives help before harm becomes irreversible.

Elder abuse prevention needs laws, effective helplines, trained professionals and responsive institutions. But above all, it needs a collective refusal to look away. Ageing should not become a private punishment. It should remain a shared social responsibility.

(Views are personal)

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Underdogs' day

Ref: *Smaller nations rattle giants* (Jul 1). The editorial does highlight how resilience, teamwork and fearless determination enabled smaller nations to challenge traditional giants. Like ants moving mountains, these teams proved that courage can outweigh reputation. Superb goalkeeping, disciplined defending, tactical awareness and composure during penalty shootouts all worked in their favour. Crucial moments showed how single incidents can decide great contests. The objective is clear: football rewards resilience over fame, inspiring every underdog must believe.
Raju Kolluru, Kakinada

Sustainable welfare

Ref: *Plug welfare gaps* (Jul 1). Calling redistribution schemes "freebies" ignores the tangible mobility they bring to poor households, as the editorial describes well. Still, no scheme survives long without fiscal discipline behind it. Karnataka's real test lies in converting recovered leakages into durable infrastructure rather than short-term populism.
Abbharna Barathi, Chennai

Presumed citizen

Ref: *Onus to prove citizenship* (Jul 1). The columnist raises a sound point: a passport is presumptive proof of citizenship, not a mere travel document, until formally rebutted through due process. Shifting this burden onto citizens—many without ready access to records—invites arbitrary disenfranchisement. Statutory presumption exists precisely to protect people from such reversals.
Pon Arun Kumar, Tiruppur

Human bondage

Ref: *The other Shinkansen* (Jul 1). Infrastructure diplomacy photographs well, but genuine partnerships are built through people, not just projects. India's youth bulge could become an asset or a burden depending on how seriously skilling is pursued now. Formalising student and researcher exchange programmes alongside these summits would translate goodwill into lasting economic and diplomatic value.
K Sakunthala, Coimbatore

Trump checked

Ref: *Body blow to Trump* (Jul 1). The unilateral highhandedness of Donald Trump to do away with constitutional rights has been checked by the court. This is another nail in Trump's irrational behaviour that the world is witnessing on various issues ranging from imposition of unjudicious tariffs and his failure to stop the war in Iran.
K V Raghuram, Wayanad

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POSTS OF THE DAY

Jairam Ramesh @Jairam_Ramesh
The injustice of the Modi Government's new law aside, the wages due to workers are also unjustifiably low – largely at ₹300 per day.

Abhishek Banerjee @abhishekaitc
Will the newly passed West Bengal Public Safety and Control of Anti Social Activities Bill, 2026 be applied to BJP backed criminals as well?

Amit Malviya @amitmalviya
The Congress from its official handle has used the "C" word for all Hindus. It is not just an insult to believers of Hinduism but also an affront to women.

Birthright ruling brings relief for Indians

SC verdict says kids born to families in the US remain American citizens regardless of parents' immigration status

JAYANTH JACOB @ New Delhi

THE US Supreme Court has delivered a landmark ruling that preserves one of the country's most fundamental constitutional guarantees, birthright citizenship, offering significant relief to millions of immigrant families, including a large number of Indians living in the United States.

In a 6-3 decision, the court struck down President Donald Trump administration's attempt to restrict automatic citizenship for children born on US soil to certain categories of immigrants. The ruling ensures that children born in the United States will continue to be recognised as American citizens regardless of whether their parents are on temporary work visas, student visas, undocumented, or waiting for permanent residency. The judgment is particularly important for the Indian diaspora. Hundreds of thousands of Indians currently live and work in the US on H-1B skilled worker visas, L-1 intra-company transfer visas and F-1 student visas. At the same time, more than one million Indians remain stuck in decades-long employment-based green card backlogs because of country-wise caps on permanent residency. For these families, uncertainty over immigration rules has long been a source of concern. The Supreme Court's decision removes one major area of uncertainty by reaffirming that their US-born children are citizens by birth. Chintan Patel, Executive Director of Indian American Impact, said the ruling was "a profound affirmation of who belongs in America. Referring to Indian families waiting years for green cards, he said that many children are born in the US long before their parents obtain permanent residency.

"Today the Supreme Court looked at those families and said: 'Your children are Americans. They belong here,'" Patel said. Congressman Raja Krishnamoorthi said the decision reiterated "a fundamental constitutional principle" that every child born in the United States is an American citizen, adding that constitutional rights "cannot be rewritten by executive order." The Foundation for India and Indian Diaspora Studies (FIDS) also welcomed the verdict, saying birthright citizenship has long been central to the immigrant experience and provides certainty for millions of families planning their future in America.

XPLAINER

What did the US Supreme Court rule?

The Supreme Court held that President Donald Trump could not deny birthright citizenship through an executive order because the US Constitution explicitly guarantees citizenship to nearly everyone born on American soil. Writing for the majority, Chief Justice John Roberts relied on the language of the Fourteenth Amendment, which states, "All persons born or naturalised in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States." The court rejected the Trump administration's argument that undocumented immigrants and many temporary foreign residents were not fully "subject to the jurisdiction" of the United States.

By grounding its decision in the Constitution, the court made it extremely difficult for any future administration to reverse birthright citizenship. Changing the ruling would require a constitutional amendment, a process that has succeeded only 27 times in American history.

Why is this important for Indians in the US?

The ruling directly affects hundreds of thousands of Indian families living in America on temporary visas.Many Indian professionals spend years working in the US before becoming eligible for permanent residency because of the lengthy green card backlog. During that period, they continue renewing temporary visas despite building their lives in America.

The judgment confirms that children born to these families in the US remain American citizens regardless of their parents' immigration status.

How large is the Indian community affected?

The Indian-origin population is among the fastest-growing immigrant communities in US.

According to available estimates, around 3.2 million documented Indian immigrants live in the United States, making them one of the country's largest immigrant communities. More than one million Indians are currently caught in the employment-based green card backlog, while over 400,000 Indian professionals work in the US on H-1B visas. In addition, an estimated 725,000 undocumented Indians reside in the country, making Indians the third-largest undocumented immigrant population after those from Mexico and El Salvador. These figures underscore why any changes to US immigration or citizenship laws have significant implications for the Indian diaspora. For many of these families,

Can birthright citizenship now be changed?

Not easily. Because the Supreme Court based its decision on the Fourteenth Amendment, any attempt to overturn birthright citizenship would require amending the US Constitution. That process requires approval by two-thirds of both houses of Congress and ratification by three-fourths of US states , one of the highest legal thresholds in American law, which is extremely difficult to achieve. Simple legislation or another presidential executive order would not be sufficient.

India seeks consular access to 13 prisoners, urges Pak to release 188 detainees

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

INDIA on Tuesday urged Pakistan to expedite the release and repatriation of 188 Indian fishermen and civil prisoners who have completed their sentences, while also seeking immediate consular access to 13 civil prisoners believed to be Indian, as the two countries exchanged their biannual lists of prisoners under the 2008 Agreement on Consular Access.

The exchange of lists took place simultaneously through diplomatic channels in New Delhi and Islamabad, in line with the agreement, which mandates the exercise every year on January 1 and July 1.

India shared the names of 386 civil prisoners and 53 fishermen in its custody who are Pakistani or believed to be Pakistani. Pakistan, in turn, shared the names of 52 civil prisoners and 198 fishermen in its custody who are Indian or believed to be Indian.

In a statement, the MEA said, "Pakistan has been urged to expedite the release and repatriation of 188 Indian fishermen and civil prisoners, who have completed their sentences."

The ministry also pressed Islamabad to provide "immediate consular access to the 13 civil prisoners in Pakistan's custody, who are believed-to-be-Indian and have not been provided consular access so far."

Reiterating India's long-standing position, the MEA said New Delhi has consistently sought early release and repatriation of civilian prisoners, fishermen along with their boats, and missing Indian defence personnel. It also urged Pakistan "to ensure safety, security and welfare of all Indian and believed-to-be-Indian prisoners, pending their release and repatriation to India."

The government said sustained diplomatic efforts have resulted in repatriation of 2,661 Indian fishermen and 78 Indian civil prisoners since 2014. Of these, 500 fishermen and 20 civil prisoners have returned.

Iran invites Cong and BJP leaders to Khamenei funeral

Iran has invited Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge, Congress leaders Salman Khurshid and Pawan Khera, BJP National President Nitin Nabin, senior BJP leader Mukhtar Abbas Naqvi, and PDP chief Mehbooba Mufti, to attend the burial ceremonies of its late Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei, scheduled to be held from July 5.

Conduct NEET in phases: House panel

S LALITHA @ New Delhi

THE Parliamentary Standing Committee on Education on Wednesday made a recommendation to the National Testing Agency (NTA) that the national medical entrance exam be conducted in multiple phases with different dates for states in order to do away with the massive logistical challenges posed due to a single-day exam countrywide.

It has also insisted that the proposal to make the exam an online-based one be implemented only after the digital infrastructure is fully in place.

The first meeting of the committee headed by its new chairperson, Mukul Wasnik, with the education department to review the NEET UG 2026 was held at a committee hall in the Parliament House. Higher Education Secretary Vineet Joshi; NTA Director General Abhishek Singh; and K Radhakrishnan, who headed the seven-member committee set up in the aftermath of the NEET-UG 2024 leakage controversy, took part in the meeting.

A source familiar with the developments said, "All details pertaining to the NEET re-exam were sought. Officials said it went on smoothly and elaborated on the security being put in place. The efforts undertaken to complete the re-exam within a short period, too, were elaborated upon. NTA officials also spoke of the ban they imposed on social media channels, which ensured that no leaks took place during the re-exam."

After giving a patient hearing to the presentation made by the NTA and lauding the agency for the enormous efforts from its side, the panel proposed holding the exam across different states on varied dates to avoid the humongous logistical challenges present right now.

Wasnik told newspersons later that a report on the deliberations held during the meeting will be released. Reforms that could strengthen the exam and improve its security, transparency, and efficiency in future exams were discussed.

A source said that members of the Parliamentary Committee proposed conducting separate entrance examinations for MBBS, AYUSH and Nursing courses to reduce the large number of candidates appearing for a single examination. The NTA had replied that such a move was not feasible presently as all the three programmes relied only on NEET scores for admissions.

The panel asserted that any future transition to a computer-based NEET should only be undertaken after ensuring adequate digital infrastructure is available across the country and all necessary preparations are completed well in advance to ensure equitable access for candidates, sources said.

NEET-PG exam on August 30, paper pattern changed

NEET-PG exam is scheduled to be conducted on August 30, the National Board of Examination in Medical Sciences announced on Wednesday. Regarding test centres, the allocation won't be based on 'First-Come First Serve' basis, it said. The question pattern has been changed to 180 MCQs with five sections of 36 questions each. Once a section ends, the candidate will not be able to go back to it.

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Non-supply of chargesheet copy can't be ground for default bail, rules SC

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Wednesday held that an accused cannot claim default bail merely because a copy of the chargesheet was not supplied to him. A bench of Justices Sanjay Karol and Nongmeikapam Kotiswar Singh delivered the verdict while dismissing an appeal against a Bombay High Court order that had refused default bail to a man on the same ground.

The SC said that non-filing of additional copies of the chargesheet as required under Section 193(8) of the BNSS would not invalidate the chargesheet itself.

The matter arose from an FIR lodged in Maharashtra under the BNS and other laws.

After the special court turned down his plea for statutory bail, the accused approached the High Court, arguing that since he was not given a copy of the chargesheet filed within 90 days, the filing was incomplete. Rejecting the contention, the SC ruled that the right to default bail under Section 187(3) of the BNSS is triggered only when the chargesheet is not submitted within the stipulated 60 or 90 days. "The moment the chargesheet is filed before the competent court within time, the indefeasible right of the accused ceases. Non-service of a copy is a procedural lapse and can't resurrect the right to statutory bail," the bench noted.

The SC said Section 230 of the BNSS entitles an accused to a copy of the chargesheet for preparing his defence, but the remedy for non-supply is to seek directions from the trial court. "The filing of the chargesheet and the supply of its copy are distinct obligations. Breach of the latter does not affect the validity of the former," it observed.

Affirming the High Court's decision, the bench directed the trial court to furnish a copy of the chargesheet to the accused within one week.

ALSO IN TOP COURT

Plea seeks norms for comedy, AI content

Referring to a controversial "₹370 biryani" remark during comedian Pranit More's stand-up show in Gurugram, a petition was filed in the Supreme Court on Wednesday seeking a comprehensive regulatory framework for stand-up comedy, podcasts, social media platforms and artificial intelligence generated content.

'Candidates must show spouse assets'

The Supreme Court on Wednesday held that candidates contesting Gujarat municipal polls are required to disclose assets owned by their spouses in election affidavits. The SC also ruled that an error by a magistrate in invoking the wrong statutory provision at the stage of taking cognisance is a curable defect.

Illegal immigration: Shah meets panel on demographic change to take stock

MUKESH RANJAN @ New Delhi

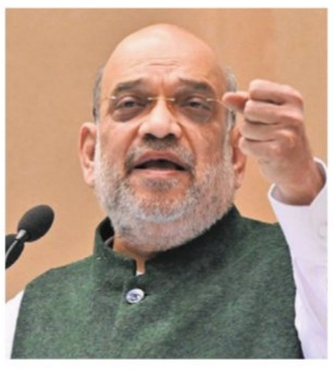
THE committee, constituted by the Centre to examine demographic changes arising from illegal immigration and other reasons, on Wednesday briefed Union Home Minister Amit Shah on its roadmap before finalising its recommendations, officials said.

The committee, headed by former Supreme Court judge Prakash Prabhakar Navlekar, informed Shah that it will undertake visits to various states and UTs to assess ground realities through interactions. It will also hold consultations with Central ministries to gather feedback on issues related to demographic changes, officials said. "While interacting with the Home Minister, the panel informed that it has prepared a detailed questionnaire that will be circulated to states and UTs in advance to facilitate discussions during the proposed visits," an MHA official said.

The exercise is aimed at collecting data beforehand, making the field visits more meaningful, focused and interactive, the panel told the Home Minister. Shah appreciated the committee's strategy and work plan and directed Union Home Secretary Govind Mohan, who was present at the meeting, to extend all assistance to the panel in its day-to-day functioning and during its visits to states. He urged the committee to submit its recommendations at the earliest.

The committee was formed following Prime Minister Narendra Modi's announcement of a "high-powered demography mission" during his 2025 Independence Day address. The panel has been tasked with scientifically studying demographic changes in different parts of the country due to illegal immigration and other abnormal reasons, analysing their causes and recommending suitable policy, legislative and administrative measures to address the issue.

The committee members include Census Commissioner Mritunjay Kumar Narayan, former IAS officer Durga Shankar Mishra, former IPS officer Balaji Srivastava and Shamika Ravi, a member of the PM's Economic Advisory Council. According to the government, the committee's mandate is to identify factors driving demographic shifts and recommend a framework to address the challenges.



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Army Chief's plan bets on tech and self-reliance

JAVARIA RANA @ New Delhi

SIGNALLING continuity in military reforms after Operation Sindoor while pushing the Army deeper into future warfare, new Army Chief General Dhiraj Seth on Wednesday laid out a five-point vision built around vigilance, technology, joint operations, self-reliance and soldier welfare.

Hours after taking charge as the 31st Chief of the Army Staff (COAS), Gen Seth said the force would accelerate its shift into a "technology-enabled, future-ready" Army able to operate across land, air, cyber and other domains.

He packaged his priorities as 'VIJAY', an acronym which stands for V for Vigilance, I for Innovation and Transformation, J for Jointness and Integration, A for Atmanirbharta and Y for Yodha First.

"We will maintain constant vigilance along our borders and against emerging threats while ensuring a high level of operational readiness," he said, adding that innovation in doctrine and technology would stay central as the character of war changes.

The stress on jointness comes as the three services push integrated theatre commands and absorb lessons from recent conflicts, where drones, long-range precision strikes, cyber and information warfare have reshaped the battlefield. Synergy with the Navy and the Air Force, backed by a whole-of-nation approach, would be critical, he said.

On self-reliance, Gen Seth set the goal as "winning our wars with indigenous solutions," in step with the drive to expand domestic output of weapons, ammunition, drones and communication systems under Atmanirbhar Bharat.

"Yodha First," he said, would cover everyone from Agniveers to veterans and Veer Naris, with better training, faster technology adoption and welfare as priorities.

Gen Seth, the first Armoured Corps officer to head the Army since General Shankar Roy Chowdhury in 1997, succeeds General Upendra Dwivedi at a time when the force is balancing readiness on the northern and western fronts with an ambitious modernisation push. He linked VIJAY to the government's "JAI" mantra (Jointness, Atmanirbharta and Innovation), coining the phrase "JAI se VIJAY."

Meanwhile, the Army Chief saluted his father Lt Gen K M Seth (retd) and sought his blessings as he began his journey as the head of the 1.3 million-strong force, on Wednesday.

Gen Seth also received a salute from his brother, Rear Admiral Ravnish Seth, on the sidelines of a ceremony during which the Army Chief was accorded a guard of honour on the lawns of the South Block in New Delhi.

After the ceremony, Gen Seth strode towards the guests' enclosure, stood in front of father and military veteran, Lt Gen Seth (retd), and saluted him.

The Army chief then touched his feet as his father patted on his back, as others watched the warm exchange of gestures between the duo.

The moment of warmth signified both the bond that exists between a father and a son, as well as the one between military leaders of two different generations, in the larger family that Indian Army proudly calls itself as.

Army Chief Gen Dhiraj Seth receiving Guard of Honour at South Block | SAYANTAN GHOSH

'VIJAY', the five-point vision for operational readiness

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BAIL
Two medical representatives arrested in last year's toxic cough syrup case in Chhindwara, which killed over 20 children, have been granted conditional bail by the MP HC, their lawyer said.

4 HELD FOR STEALING COPPER CABLES IN MUMBAI

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	38	29	Mumbai	28	26
Bhopal	28	24	Panaji	29	24
Jaipur	35	28	Patna	32	27
Amritsar	35	28	Lucknow	35	28
Chennai	36	28	Port Blair	30	26
Kolkata	35	29	Imphal	29	23
Srinagar	33	21	Chandigarh	36	28

'Equal seats': Cong ups ante on SP

'Have started identifying nearly 170 Assembly seats in UP in case of tie-up with Akhilesh'

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

Party plans wider alliance by roping in BSP

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NEWLY appointed Uttar Pradesh Congress in-charge Rajendra Pal Gautam on Wednesday pitched for contesting on seats equal to its ally Samajwadi Party in 2027 Assembly elections.

"The Congress was the big brother or an equal partner in UP. The party will negotiate for equal seats in the battle for Lucknow early next year," Pal said on his first visit after being entrusted with the responsibility of politically most crucial state. Congress insiders claim that the party has started identifying nearly 170 Assembly seats in the state which it could claim after an alliance with the SP is finalised. The Congress' claim comes on the back of its improved performance in 2024 Lok Sabha polls when it increased its tally to six MPs from one in 2019.

"The Congress is no longer willing to remain a junior partner to SP in the 2027 UP Assembly polls," said a senior Congress leader. Party sources said groundwork on strong seats was already on with the help of a professional agency.

Gautam was recently appointed as UP Congress incharge replacing Vinash Pandey. Pal is a Dalit and hails from Meerut. He is believed to have influence among Dalit voters, especially in western UP.

A senior Congress strategist said the party was targeting 120-130 seats. "A pool of around 170 seats was ready to avoid any major reduction during negotiations," he said. The SP remains cautious about the Congress' assertive stance and is reportedly not inclined to offer more than 60-80 seats.

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The Congress has been out of power in UP since 1989. At that time the party had a strong hold Dalit, Brahmin and Muslim vote bank. Political experts say the "elder brother" remark and survey of 170 seats are part of a calculated strategy to exert psychological pressure on SP chief Akhilesh Yadav.

NDA ally JD(U) says will contest 25 seats in state

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

FORMER Bihar chief minister Nitish Kumar-led Janata Dal (United) on Wednesday announced that it would contest the Assembly elections in Uttar Pradesh. Bihar rural development minister and the party's Uttar Pradesh in-charge Shravan Kumar said the party was seriously considering fielding candidates on 25 seats in the state as a constituent of NDA.

JD (U) is considered to have a strong hold over backward classes, extremely backward classes, and a section of minority voters in Bihar. "I will visit Uttar Pradesh, meet party leaders and workers and formulate the strategy," he remarked.

He said that the party was trying to form an alliance with the BJP for Uttar Pradesh elections, as the JD(U) wanted to enter electoral fray as an NDA ally. However, the party's top leadership will take a final decision, he added. In the 2022 UP polls, JD (U) contested 26 seats after it did not get any "positive response" from the BJP.

Pawar Sr begins NCP (SP) Maha merger talks with both Congress and BJP

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ Mumbai

SHARAD Pawar has opened parallel talks with both the Congress and the BJP-led National Democratic Alliance (NDA) as his NCP (SP) battles internal divisions amid alleged poaching of Opposition MPs and MLAs in Maharashtra.

The NCP (SP), which has eight Lok Sabha MPs and 10 MLAs, is split over its future. Sources said five MPs favour joining Deputy Chief Minister Eknath Shinde, while the remaining want to align with the BJP-led NDA. The MLAs are similarly divided, with some backing a merger with the Congress and others preferring the ruling establishment.

Highly placed sources said the 86-year-old Pawar is willing to merge NCP (SP) with the Congress only if daughter Supriya Sule is given a larger organisational role. His reported demands include a Pawar loyalist as Maharashtra Congress president, Sule as vice-president and adequate representation in Congress Working Committee. Supporters believe such a deal would prevent a split and strengthen Opposition.

Another leader claimed a powerful faction wants to join the NDA at the Centre and in Maharashtra. The source said backchannel communication with the BJP gained momentum after Sule's daughter married into a Nagpur-based family with RSS links, with the negotiations revolving around a Union cabinet berth for Sule and two ministerial positions for Pawar loyalists.

Maharashtra Congress leaders said no merger talks have taken place at the state level and they would accept whatever the party high command decides.

However, another senior Congress leader claimed Pawar has opened talks with the Congress primarily to strengthen his bargaining position with the BJP. The logic is, while Pawar negotiates with the Congress, Sule engages in parallel discussions with the BJP, and the family decides after assessing offers from both sides.

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CM convinces Sachin Ahir to switch to MahaYuti

Maharashtra CM Devendra Fadnavis has reportedly played a key role in pursuading Sachin Ahir, the Shiv Sena (UBT) MLC and close aide of Aditya Thackeray, to join the DCM Eknath Shinde-led Shiv Sena and take up the post of the deputy chairman of the state legislative council. Fadnavis encouraged Ahir by emphasising his youth and career in politics, urging him to switch sides. He also convinced Shinde that Ahir, being soft-spoken and experienced, should be given the post of deputy chairman of the Upper House rather than choosing any other MLC from their party. Ahir got elected as deputy chairman of the state council unopposed because of Fadnavis.

2 bizmen played key role in success of Op Tiger

In Operation Tiger, which involved poaching of six Uddhav Thackeray-led Shiv Sena's Lok Sabha MPs, the responsibility for this heavyweight operation was handed over to arms dealer and businessman Abhishek Varma from North India. The operational burden was extremely demanding, so the people involved in carrying out this operation roped in businessman and Rajya Sabha MP (YSR Congress) Alla Ayodhya Rami Reddy from Andhra Pradesh. According to rumours, while Varma was promised an Upper House seat, Reddy was ensured a lucrative contract in Asia's richest civic body, the Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation (BMC).

6th state assembly session without LoP

This marks the sixth state Assembly session of the Mahayuti government without a designated leader of the opposition (LOP). While Opposition benches are equally important in a democracy, Maharashtra has not given such a position to the opposition. The BJP-led Mahayuti has a brutal majority in the 288-member state Assembly, whereas the opposition has the support of barely 50 MLAs. Out of the 50 opposition MLAs, hardly a few MLAs are turning up to attend the house, while those who are attending are not raising their voice; therefore, this monsoon session is progressing without both the LoP and the voice of the opposition.

PROBE

Lie-detector test on Siya and her boyfriend sought

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ Mumbai

TO strengthen the case and determine the crime, the investigators in the Lohagad Fort murder case have decided to seek the polygraph test of the accused Siya Goyal, who, with the help of her boyfriend Chetan Chaudhary, allegedly murdered her fiancé Ketan Agarwal by pushing him off the cliff on June 19.

Since there are neither direct eyewitnesses to the murder of 25-year-old Pune-based developer Ketan Agarwal nor any CCTV footage, the police have decided to seek the lie detector—polygraph test, even though its reports are not considered as direct legal evidence in Indian courts.

"But the lie detector test will help to bring more clues and evidence that have so far been concealed by the accused Siya Goyal and co-accused Chetan Chaudhary. The indirect evidence from the lie detector test will help to bring the direct evidence in this case. We need more direct eyewitness and direct digital evidence because presently, we are relying on more circumstantial evidence. The circumstantial evidence would not help establish the crime. There is a big challenge for us to prove the crime during court trial," said the police officer who is part of the probe.

'Rebel TMC' in Bengal House moves EC, seeks party symbol and funds

MUKESH RANJAN @ New Delhi

THE battle for control of the Trinamool Congress (TMC) has reached a critical stage, with the Election Commission of India (EC) giving time to the breakaway faction led by **Ritabrata Banerjee** to present its claim before the full Commission on Thursday.

According to EC sources, a 10-member delegation from the rebel camp will appear before the full bench, headed by Chief Election Commissioner Gyanesh Kumar, at the Commission's headquarters in New Delhi at 12 noon. The meeting comes amid an intensifying power struggle that has pushed the TMC's internal conflict into the national spotlight.

The Ritabrata-led faction is expected to argue that it represents the "real" TMC and is therefore entitled to the party's name and its election symbol.

Leaders of the camp maintain that they command the support of a majority of the party's organisational office-bearers and elected representatives, strengthening their claim to the party's ownership.

The confrontation marks an unprecedented crisis for the TMC. Earlier this week, the rebel group convened a special session in Kolkata, where it sought to remove former West Bengal CM Mamata Banerjee as party chairperson. In a significant escalation, the dissidents also announced the formation of a parallel National Working Committee, effectively creating a rival organisational structure within the party.

The faction has simultaneously stepped up its legal strategy. A team of lawyers representing the rebels recently visited the EC headquarters to review the procedural framework governing disputes over political party leadership and election symbols.

Mamata Banerjee's camp has also moved quickly to reinforce its position. According to sources, she has submitted a fresh list of a reconstituted party committee to the election commission, signing the document in her capacity as TMC chairperson.

Multi-crore premium steel theft ring busted in C'garh

EJAZ KAISER @ Raipur

IN a major crackdown on industrial crime, the Durg District Police in Chhattisgarh dismantled a deeply entrenched, highly organised criminal syndicate operating inside the Maharatna public sector undertaking SAIL's flagship company Bhilai Steel Plant (BSP), safeguarded by the Central Industrial Security Force (CISF).

The operation was blown wide open on May 26, when a police team acted on a tip-off and raided the premises of A.K. Traders, located in the Akalordih suburbs in Bhilai. During the raid, police caught the syndicate red-handed, discovering a massive stockpile of steel scrap hidden beneath flue dust inside multiple high-capacity commercial vehicles.

The audacity and seamless execution of the operation have left investigators questioning how such a clandestine, large-scale theft went undetected repeatedly despite the round-the-clock deployment of a professional paramilitary force like the CISF alongside BSP's internal management.

The Durg police suspected that the multi-million-rupee racket operated under the guise of legitimate industrial waste management. "The syndicate methodically smuggled high-grade BSP iron plates, beams, and structural cutting materials by hiding them inside vehicles designated for transporting 'flue dust' (industrial byproduct)," Vijay Agrawal, Durg's senior superintendent of police, told this newspaper.

Police raid various premises of the Bhilai Steel Plant after a tip-off | EXPRESS

At the crime scene, law enforcement seized approximately 250 tonnes of iron plates and beams, valued at ₹90 lakh. Additionally, the police impounded an extensive fleet of transport vehicles and heavy earthmoving equipment used to load and move the stolen material. The total valuation of the seized property—including high-end trucks, tippers, a JCB, a Hydra crane, a chain mounting machine, and five specialised dust-sieving machines—stands at over ₹3.50 crore.

Investigations and suspect interrogations have exposed a much grander, systemic leak. A massive network of various distinct gangs has been active within the plant, smuggling out upwards of around 3,000 tonnes of premium steel and heavy iron during the past six-month period, dealing an estimated ₹17.87 crore blow to the Maharatna PSU, they inferred.

"Alarmingly, this is not an isolated operation. Multiple parallel syndicates are believed to be actively bleeding the PSU using identical methods," said the Durg SSP.

Maha TET exam paper leaked from Agra pvt printing press, says probe

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

Directly sourced

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THE probe into the Maharashtra Teacher Eligibility Test (TET) paper leak case has found that the confidential question papers were allegedly sourced directly from Mahim Patran Pvt Ltd, a printing press located in Agra, Uttar Pradesh.

The Special Investigation Team (SIT) of the Maharashtra police in cooperation with its counterparts in Bihar on Tuesday arrested Suman Gupta, wife of Bijendra Gupta, the alleged mastermind behind the TET paper leak case, in Patna.

Sources claimed that Suman was aware of the paper leak racket, and investigators probing the TET case suspect that Bijendra conducted financial transactions in her presence.

In the preliminary probe, it was found that Bijendra, who is absconding, allegedly earned crores of rupees through the paper leak network. Investigators suspect the proceeds were used to acquire properties, including a flat in Delhi and a house in Patna. Police are probing how he amassed the assets despite having no known source of income. Investigators suspect the properties were acquired using proceeds from the paper leak syndicate, said officials aware of the probe.

Earlier, three people were arrested in connection with the paper leak after police recovered four sets of papers during a trap operation in Kongaon of Thane district. One is a resident of Haryana, while the other two are from Bihar.

During interrogation, the accused said Bijendra was the mastermind of the paper leak network. Police teams have been raiding all possible locations connected with this network. Bijendra is originally a resident of Sherpur village in Samastipur district. Investigators believe that the question papers were brought from Delhi, with the accused allegedly demanding around ₹1.5 crore in exchange for the papers.

Bijendra has been allegedly involved in paper leaks related to the 2023 Odisha Staff Selection Commission (OSSC) examination, Bihar Public Service Commission (BPSC) examination and the Madhya Pradesh Public Service Commission (MPPSC) examination.

'Ghost demolition' to ₹27L food bill under lens

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @ Ahmedabad

Surat: 5 civic engineers suspended in High Court-monitored Nasirnagar demolition case after internal probe; departmental inquiry launched

All eyes on Gujarat civic bodies

HC questions demolition: Court asks how 100+ structures were razed without formal authorisation; says police should have intervened if action was illegal

Rajkot food bill stalled: Standing Committee defers approval of controversial ₹27.20 lakh catering bill, citing procedural lapses

Enormous expenses: Bill includes ₹20.68 lakh catering, ₹6.31 lakh on tea/coffee/biscuits, 21,000 cups of tea, 4,000 lemonade bottles, and a reported ₹231 per Kaju Katli

TWO of Gujarat's biggest municipal corporations are facing scrutiny over demolition-linked controversies. While the Surat Municipal Corporation on Wednesday suspended five engineers in the high court-monitored Nasirnagar demolition case, Rajkot Municipal Corporation deferred approval of its controversial ₹27.20 lakh food bill linked to the Jungleshwar demolition drive.

Both the issues have triggered debate over whether civic bodies are adhering to due process while spending taxpayers' money. The first major administrative action in the Nasirnagar demolition case came when the Surat corporation suspended five engineers following the findings of an internal inquiry.

The controversy gained further momentum after the HC, during a hearing on June 29, raised questions over the role of the Surat corporation, police and electricity distributor Torrent Power during the demolition drive. Advocate Zamir Saikh said, "The Municipal Commissioner stated that neither he nor any officer of the corporation had issued orders authorising the demolition carried out on May 30."

The disclosure prompted the HC to question how such demolition of over 100 structures could have taken place without formal authorisation. The court observed that if the demolition was being carried out illegally, police officers "should have intervened".

The Rajkot corporation has come under fire over the expenditure incurred during its demolition drive. The row centres around ₹27.20 lakh food bill submitted after the three-day anti-encroachment operation carried out in the Jungleshwar area earlier this year.

According to documents placed before the Standing Committee, the bill included 150 plates of samosas, date rolls and khaman worth ₹34,650, while tea, coffee and biscuits alone accounted for ₹6,30,946. Records showed consumption of 21,000 cups of tea and 4,000 bottles of lemonade. One of the entries reportedly valued a single 'kaju katli' piece at ₹231, while the largest component of the expenditure was a ₹20.68 lakh catering bill.

Rajkot corporation's standing committee deferred approval of the bill. Rajkot Mayor Nehal Shukla said, "It was decided that due process was not adhered to. Therefore, the members of the committee have rejected the proposal."

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, the authorized officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** under the Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued **demand notices** to the borrower(s)/ Co-borrowers(s) calling upon the borrowers to repay the amount mentioned against the respective names together with interest thereon at the applicable rates as mentioned in the said notices within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notices, along with future interest as applicable incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. incurred till the date of payment and/or realisation.

Sr. No.	Loan No.	Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	13(2) Notice Date/ Outstanding Due (in Rs.) as on	Date/ Time & Type of Possession
1	46450540000016 & 46459410002357	1) Mr. Ramesh Babu N, 2) Mrs. Meenakshi	09.04.2026 Rs.6,68,727.20 (Rupees Six Lakh Sixty Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty Seven and Twenty Paisa Only) due as on 06-04-2026	Date: 29-06-2026 Time: 02:21 PM Symbolic Possession

Description of the Property: All the piece and parcel of the immovable residential Property bearing Janjaru No.148, situated at Tarabahalli Village, Jadigenahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, Presently Comes under the Limits of K Hajihosahalli Village Panchayath and **Bounded by the: East by:** Property belongs to T.M.Rajanna, **West by:** 03 feet Road & House of Shanthamma Rajappa, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Layout. Measuring East to West: 42 feet and North to South: 38 feet.

Whereas the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors, mentioned herein above have failed to repay the amounts due, notice is hereby given to the Borrower's mentioned herein above in particular and to the Public in general that the authorised officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** has **taken possession** of the properties/ secured assets described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the dates mentioned above. The Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors mentioned herein above in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid properties/ Secured Assets and any dealings with the said properties/ Secured assets will be subject to the charge of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited.**

Place: Bangalore Rural
Date: 01.07.2026

Sd/- Authorised Officer,
For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK (A Scheduled Commercial Bank)
Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

KOLAR DISTRICT CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCER'S SOCIETIES UNION LIMITED.,KOLAR

[P.B No. 63, N.H-75, Huthur Post, Kolar – 563102. Karnataka]
(Ph.No 08152-282 310/350/331,7760964517, E-Mail- komulpurchase@yahoo.com)

IFT No. KMU/ PUR/ E-PROCUREMENT/ 1898 /2026-27 Date: 30.06.2026

**** E-PROCUREMENT SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION ****

Description of Material	Qty
Supply, Erection & Commissioning of LED Display Board (Including Civil Works) at MVK Golden Dairy Premises of KOMUL	01 No

Access to E-tender Documents : 30.06.2026 to 07.07.2026 5.30 PM
Last date for submission : on or before 07.07.2026, 5.30 PM
Date of opening of Tech. Tender : 09.07.2026, 11.00 AM onwards
Tender documents may be downloaded from e-procurement website:www.KPPP.karnataka.gov.in

IFT No. KMU/ PUR/ E-PROCUREMENT/1899/2026-27 Date: 30.06.2026

**** E-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTIFICATION ****

The Kolar Milk Union Limited, Kolar invites tenders from eligible Tenderers for the supply of the following materials.

Sl. No.	Description of Material	Qty
01	Supply of 2HP Motor Operated Chaff Cutters to DCS of KOMUL	250 No's
02	Supply of 5 Ply Corrugated Boxes with Partitions to Pack Different Varients Ghee Sachets for One year Period to KOMUL a) 200ml, b) 500ml, c) 1000ml	8,000 No's 50,000 No's 1,15,000 No's
03	Supply of Bottle Coolers 200 Ltrs for the period of One Year to KOMUL	20 No's
04	Supply of Bottle Coolers 300 Ltrs for the period of One Year to KOMUL	50 No's
05	Supply of Bottle Coolers 400 Ltrs for the period of One Year to KOMUL	50 No's
06	Supply of Visi Coolers 350 Ltrs for the period of One Year to KOMUL	50 No's

Access to E-tender Documents : 01.07.2026 to 18.07.2026 5.30 PM
Last date for submission : on or before 18.07.2026, 5.30 PM
Date of opening of Tech. Tender : 20.07.2026, 11.00 AM onwards
Tender documents may be downloaded from e-procurement website:www.KPPP.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/-
M.D.KOMUL

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the General Public, Government Authorities, Revenue Authorities, Local Authorities, Financial Institutions, Banks, Co-operative Societies, Legal Heirs, Co-parceners, Family Members, Successors, Assignees, Agreement Holders, Tenants, Occupants, Cultivators, Mortgagees, Charge Holders and all persons whomsoever having or claiming any right, title, interest or claim in respect of the immovable properties described in the Schedule hereunder, that:

1. Mr. Adarsh N., S/o B. Narayanappa, aged about 33 years, residing at No. 431, 4th Main Road, 4th Cross Road, Kengeri Satellite Town, Bengaluru 560060; and **2. Mr. Girisha Jayaram,** S/o J.S. Jayaram, aged about 45 years, residing at No. 19, 2nd Floor, 31st Main, Behind Devegowda Petrol Bunk, Chinnappa Naidu Layout, Banashankari III Stage, Bengaluru - 560085., (hereinafter collectively referred to as the **"Prospective Purchasers")** have agreed and intend to purchase the Schedule Properties described herein below from the following persons claiming lawful ownership, title and possession thereof: **a) Shri. Basavaraju,** S/o Honnagangaiah, owner of the property bearing Survey No. 54/6; and **b) Shri. M.N. Ashwath Narayana Rao,** owner of the property bearing Survey No. 53/3.

➢ The Prospective Purchasers are presently conducting an independent investigation and verification of title, ownership, possession, succession, inheritance, revenue records, mutation entries, encumbrances, statutory compliances and all rights, interests and liabilities relating to the Schedule Properties.

➢ Therefore, any person or entity claiming any right, title, share, ownership, co-ownership, possession, tenancy right, leasehold right, cultivation right, occupancy right, easement right, mortgage,charge, lien, agreement of sale, agreement to sell, development agreement, joint development agreement, power of attorney, family settlement, partition, succession, inheritance, maintenance right, gift, trust interest, beneficial interest, decree, order, attachment, injunction, acquisition claim, adverse possession, lis pendens, statutory right, revenue claim, contractual right, equitable interest or any other claim, demand or encumbrance of whatsoever nature, whether present, future, vested, contingent, disclosed undisclosed, in respect of the Schedule Properties, shall notify the same in writing together with authenticated documentary evidence to the undersigned Advocate within **21 (Twenty-One) days** from the date of publication of this notice.

➢ Any person claiming that the Schedule Properties are the subject matter of any pending or concluded suit, appeal, revision, review, execution proceedings, writ proceedings, arbitration proceedings, revenue proceedings, tribunal proceedings, acquisition proceedings, land grant proceedings, land conversion proceedings or proceedings before any Court, Authority, Tribunal or Forum whatsoever, shall disclose the same along with certified copies of all relevant records.

➢ Any person claiming rights under the **Karnataka Land Revenue Act, 1964, Karnataka Land Reforms Act, 1961**, tenancy laws, occupancy rights, grant proceedings, regularisation proceedings, mutation proceedings, inheritance proceedings, partition proceedings or any other statutory enactment shall also disclose the same within the aforesaid period.

➢ Any person claiming that the Schedule Properties constitute ancestral property, joint family property, coparcenary property, inherited property, partitioned property or property subject to any family arrangement, oral partition, memorandum of partition, relinquishment, settlement, trust arrangement or succession dispute shall likewise disclose such claim with supporting documents within the aforesaid period.

➢ All persons having any claim whatsoever are hereby called upon to produce complete documentary proof in support of their claim, failing which it shall be presumed that no person other than the aforesaid owners has any right, title, interest, share, claim, objection or encumbrance in respect of the Schedule Properties.

➢ In the event no claim, objection or representation is received within the stipulated period of 21 (Twenty-One) days from the date of publication of this notice, the Prospective Purchasers shall proceed with the proposed purchase transaction and completion thereof on the basis of the title documents and records made available to them, without any further reference to any person claiming any interest in the Schedule Properties.

➢ Any claim, objection or demand received after expiry of theaforesaid period shall be deemed to have been waived for thepurpose of the proposed transaction, and the Prospective Purchasers shall not be responsible for any loss, liability or consequence arising therefrom. Any person suppressing material facts despite knowledge of this notice shall do so at his/her own risk, costs and consequences.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTIES

Item No. 1 : All that piece and parcel of agricultural land bearing Survey No. 54/6, Khatha No. 96, measuring 3 Acres, situated at Bannikuppe Village, Bidadi-1 Hobli, Ramanagara Taluk, Bengaluru South District, Karnataka State, standing in the name of Shri. Basavaraju, S/o Honnagangaiah, and bounded by: **East:** Property belonging to Honamma, **West:** Government Pit, **North:** Property belonging to Mallaiah, **South:** Property belonging to Kamalamma.

Item No. 2: All that piece and parcel of agricultural land bearing Survey No. 53/3, Khatha No. 77, measuring 2 Acres 05 Guntas, situated at Bannikuppe Village, Bidadi-1 Hobli, Ramanagara Taluk, Bengaluru South District, Karnataka State, standing in the name of Shri. M.N. Ashwath Narayana Rao, and bounded by: **East:** Government Road and Hospital, **West:** Government Stream, **North:** Lands of Bairanna and Shivamma, **South:** Lands of Hombegowda and B.H. Nagararaju.

Place:Bengaluru
Date: 01.07.2026

Advocate For The Prospective Purchasers
RAJIV.R
Anjanadri Law Associates

Government of Karnataka
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER
MINOR IRRIGATION AND GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DIVISION, KALABURAGI, e-mail: midnglb@rediffmail.com / midnglb1@gmail.com,Ph.08472 - 220196

IFT No. EE/MI & GWD D/KAL/PB-4/2026-27/1580 DATED : 30-06-2026

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (IFT KW-1&4)

1) Detail of Work : **THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, M.I. & G.W.D. DIVISION, KALABURAGI INVITES TENDER FROM THE ELIGIBLE TENDERERS FOR THE WORK UNDER 4702 S.C.P., TSP & 4702 LIS FOR THE YEAR 2025-26**, 2) Amount of Estimate : Max.**Rs.117,25,714.67, Min. Rs.3,43,481.25**, 3) Eligibility of Contractor : Class-IVth & Above, 4) Details of Tender Application Amount and EMD Amount : Tender Fee : As Per KPP Portal E.M.D. **Max. Rs. 2,00,000.00, Min. Rs. 4,300.00,** 5) Pre-Bid Meeting Date & Time : 04.07.2026 Upto 11.00 Hours, 6) Last Date & Time for Tender Queries / Clarifications : 06.07.2026 Upto 11.00 Hours, 7) Last Date & Time for Receipt of Tenders : 08-07-2026 Up to 17.30 Hours, 8) Date & Time for Opening of Technical Bid : 09-07-2026 Up to 17.30 Hours, 9) Date & Time for Opening of Financial Bid : 10.07.2026 Up to 17.30 Hours, 10) Addl. information : Executive Engineer M.I. & G.W.D. Division, Kalaburagi, 11) Address of E-Portal : https://kppp.Karnataka.gov.in

Sd/- Executive Engineer
Minor Irrigation and Ground Water Development Division, Kalaburagi

DIPR/Kalaburagi/281/
Deshpande Publicity/2026-27

UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES, DHARWAD

Estate Branch, Krishinagar, Dharwad-580005.
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No.EO/DB/TN/e-Proc.T-129/2026-27 Date: 29-06-2026

"SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION"(III RD CALL)

Short term tenders have been re-invited from registered Companies / partnership firms / Proprietor , for services of outsourcing of man power (Farm labourers and service personnel) at various campuses of the University. The details of the tender can be had through e-procurement portal **(https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in).** For more details please contact **0836-2214214/332** during office hours. Interested agencies need to register with the e-Procurement portal for participating in the tender. For details of registration please contact Ph. No: **080-23010900.**

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

1	Last Date & Time for Tender Queries / Clarifications	07-07-2026	Up to	16.00 Hrs
2	Date & Time for pre bid meeting.	10-07-2026	At	11.00 Hrs
3	Last Date & Time for receipt of tenders.	15-07-2026	Up to	16.00 Hrs
4	Date & Time for Opening of Technical Bid.	16-07-2026	At	16.15 Hrs
5	Date & Time for Opening of Financial Bid.	17-07-2026	At	16.00 Hrs

Note: The bidders shall get updated / acquainted with ADDENDUM / CORRIGENDUM (if any) issued on-line from time to time on the e-procurement portal during the entire tender process.

DIPR/DHARWAD/369/2026-27/DESHPANDEPUBLICITY

Sd/-
Estate Officer

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government Of India Undertaking)
Head Office: Bangalore

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SALE NOTICE

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 READ WITH PROVISO TO RULE 8 (6) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable / movable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank,** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 21.07.2026 (10.30 AM to 11.30 AM)** [with unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of sale], **for recovery of Rs. 54,37,474.78/- (Rupees Fifty Four Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand Four Hundred Seventy Four And Paisa Seventy Eight Only) plus further interest thereon from 30.06.2026 and other expenses** due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank from (1) Mr. Jintesh M J (Borrower)** S/o Joy Mangaleth Mathai, Flat No 411, 4th Floor, "Midhila Deluxe" Apartment 6th cross, 1st main road, Near R V Kalyana Mantapa Maruthinagar Yelahanka Bengaluru - 560064.

The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of **E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through **RTGS/NEFT** in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **20.07.2026 - 5.00 pm.** **(Rs. In Lakhs)**

Lot	Description of the immovable assets:	Reserve Price	EMD	Inspection date & time
1	All that piece and parcel of the 2 BHK residential apartment bearing 411, Fourth Floor, Midhila Deluxe Apartment, 6th Cross, 1st Main Road, Near R V Kalyana Mantapa, Maruthi Nagar, Yelahanka, Bangalore- 560064, Kogilu Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk. Measuring 1230 Sq Ft super built-up area together with 345 Sq.ft undivided right. East by: Open To Sky, West by: Common Area, North by: Flat no. 410, South by: Flat No.412.	₹. 60.00	₹. 6.00	08.07.2026 11.30 AM to 2.00 PM with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link **"E-Auction"** provided in Canara Bank's website **(www.canarabank.com)** or E-Wallet of **M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal and may contact **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, (Ph. No.8074639331 and 9486092152) during office hours on any working day.**

Date :01.07.2026
Place: Bengaluru

Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

BENGALURU NORTH CITY CORPORATION

Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Kempanahalli Main Road, Atturu Layout, Atturu Forest Nursery, Bengaluru - 560064.

No: ACF/BNCC/TENDER/07/2026-27 Date: 30-06-2026

CORRIGENDUM RE-TENDER (CORRIGENDUM-1)

Sub: Regarding the Corrigendum in the Tender Notification.

Ref.: This Office Short Term Tender Notification No: ACF/BNCC/TENDER/07/2026-27, Dated: 24-06-2026 (Call-2).

In connection with the above Subject and Reference, the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Bengaluru North City Corporation, regarding the Tree Canopy Maintenance of work, Tender No: **ACF/BNCC/TENDER/07/2026-27**, a Total of **14 Tenders** invited on 24-06-2026, the Notification was published in Vijayavani and New Indian Express Newspapers on 25-06-2026, the EMD Amount of Reserved **07 Tenders** in the called tender has been amended, the details are as follows:

Sl. No.	Name of the Work / Category
1	Bengaluru North City Corporation Zone-1, Byatarayanapura Assembly Constituency Tree Canopy Management During the year 2026-27. **(SC) - Previous EMD Amount (in Rs.): 60,000.00, Revised EMD Amount (in Rs.): 40,000.00**
2	Bengaluru North City Corporation Zone-1 Tree Canopy Management One Night Team for (Byatarayanapura, Pulikeshinagara and Sarvagnanagara Assembly Constituency). **(SC) - Previous EMD Amount (in Rs.): 60,000.00, Revised EMD Amount (in Rs.): 40,000.00**
3	Bengaluru North City Corporation Zone-2, Yelahanka Assembly Constituency Tree Canopy Management During the year 2026-27. **(SC) - Previous EMD Amount (in Rs.): 60,000.00, Revised EMD Amount (in Rs.): 40,000.00**
4	Bengaluru North City Corporation Zone-2, Hebbala Assembly Constituency Tree Canopy Management During the year 2026-27. **(CAT-II(A)) - Previous EMD Amount (in Rs.): 60,000.00, Revised EMD Amount (in Rs.): 80,000.00**
5	Bengaluru North City Corporation Zone-2 Dasarahalli Assembly Constituency and Part of Rajarajeshwarinagara Constituency Tree Canopy Management During the year 2026-27. **(ST) - Previous EMD Amount (in Rs.): 60,000.00, Revised EMD Amount (in Rs.): 40,000.00**
6	Bengaluru North City Corporation Rapid Response Team-2 Zone-2 (Yelahanka, Hebbala, Dasarahalli Assembly Constituency) during 2026-27. **(CAT-I) - Previous EMD Amount (in Rs.): 25,000.00, Revised EMD Amount (in Rs.): 50,000.00**
7	Mobile Hydraulic Crane 20 T Capacity (The Rates include Crew Charges, Operational and Maintenance Charges such as Cost of Fuel, Lubricants, Stores, Establishments and Depreciation and Interest Charges on Hypothecation) for Supporting Tree Canopy Management Zone-2 During the year 2026-27. **(CAT-II(A) - Previous EMD Amount (in Rs.): 25,000.00, Revised EMD Amount (in Rs.): 50,000.00**

Sd/- Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Bengaluru North City Corporation.

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Bengaluru-560001, Ph:080-25310066,
E-mail: cb2366@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM -1 Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank,** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **18.07.2026 (10.00 AM TO 11.00 AM),** for recovery of **Rs.64,93,870.18 (Rupees Sixty Four Lakh Ninety Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy, Paise Eighteen Only) as on 15.06.2026** with further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank from (1) Mr. Vijay Kumar Ravi Kumar,** S/o Ravi Kumar, No.71, Bagur Village, Bagepalli Post, Hosur Taluk, Krishnagiri District, Tamilnadu-635103. **(2) Mr. Lakshmi Narayana** S/o Mr. Ravi Kumar, No.71, Bagur Village, Bagepalli Post, Hosur Taluk, Krishnagiri District, Tamilnadu-635103. **(3) Mr. Ravi Kumar B M** S/o Muniswamy No.71, Bagur Village, Bagepalli Post, Hosur Taluk, Krishnagiri District, Tamilnadu-635103. **(4) Mr. T. Mukunthan (Guarantor)** S/o Thimmarayappa, D No.4/21S Kurubatti, Saragapalli Post, Denkanikottai, Krishnagiri Dist. Tamil Nadu - 635114.

The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of **E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through **RTGS/NEFT** in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **17.07.2026 - 6.00 pm.** **(₹.In Lakhs)**

Lot	Description of the immovable assets	Reserve Price	EMD	Incre -mental Value	Inspection date & time
1	**Schedule of property :** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Grama Natham Sy No. 697, New Natham 697/27 situated at Bagepalli Village, Hosur Taluk, Krishnagiri District, Tamilnadu measuring 110 Sq. Mtr or 1180 Sq. Ft along with RCC Roof Building and bounded East by: Krishnappa House, West by Goopaliyappa house, North by: Papanna House, South by: 3 feet Panchayat Road.	₹. 50.40	₹. 5.04	₹. 1.00	08.07.2026 10.00 AM to 2.00 PM. with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer.

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/) portal and may contact ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, (Ph. No. 08025310066, 7022044933 and 9039609346) during office hours on any working day.

Date : 30.06.2026
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

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Syndicate

ARM Branch– II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No.86, M G Road, Bengaluru-560001.
Telephone Numbers 080-25310099, 080-25310181 | E-mail – cb6298@canarabank.com

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)] TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Ref.: 6298/SARFAESI/2026-27 **Date : 30.06.2026**

To,
BORROWER / MORTGAGOR / GUARANTOR

1. **Mr. Hareesh Pabbati (Borrower) S/o. P Janardhana Rao,** No. 6-25/1, Chinthalathopu, Jaggayyapeta, Ibrahimpatnam, Krishna District, Andhra Pradesh - 521175
1a. **Mr. Hareesh Pabbatti (Borrower) S/o. P Janardhana Rao, Also, Resd at :** # 34, Mullur Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, Bengaluru - 560087.
1b. **Mr. Hareesh Pabbatti (Borrower) S/o. P Janardhana Rao, Also Resd at :** Flat No. A-102, 1st Floor "ABAN DESIRE" Apartment A-Block Sy.No. 216 of Medahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore - 562125.
2. **Mr. Duddekula Rajashekhar Babu (Guarantor)** # 3 99 Santhapeta, Koilakunta Mandalam, Koilkuntla, Kurnool, Andhra Pradesh - 518134

BUILDER WHO EXECUTED TRIPARTITE AGREEMENT

1. **M/s. Aban Developers Pvt Ltd., Represented by It's Managing Director, Mr. Manoj Kumar Office at** Door No. 450, 2nd Floor, 6th Main, 7th Cross, Mico Layout, BTM 2nd Stage, Bangalore - 560076.

Dear Sir,

Sub.: Notice issued under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

The undersigned being the **Authorized Officer of Canara Bank, ARM II Branch** (hereinafter referred to as **"The Secured Creditor"),** appointed under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, (hereinafter referred as the "Act") do hereby issue this notice to you as under :

That **Mr. Hareesh Pabbatti (hereinafter referred to as "the Borrower")** has availed credit facility / facilities stated in the Schedule A hereunder and have entered into the security agreement/s in favour of the secured creditor. While availing the said financial assistance, you have expressly undertaken to repay the loan amount/s in accordance with the terms and conditions of the above-mentioned agreements.

That **Mr. Dudekula Rajasekhar Babu (hereinafter referred to as "the Guarantors"),** has guaranteed the payment on demand of all moneys and discharge all obligations and liabilities owing or incurred to the secured creditor by the Borrower for credit facilities **(Fund based / Non-Fund Based) up to the limit of Rs. 58,22,000.00/- (Rupees Fifty-Eight Lakhs Twenty-Two Thousand Only)** with interest thereon.

You **Mr. Hareesh Pabbatti and M/s.Aban Developers Pvt. Ltd.** have entered into agreements against the secured assets which are detailed in Schedule B hereunder.

However, **from 04.12.2025** the operation and conduct of the said financial assistance / credit facilities have become irregular. The books of account maintained by the secured assets shows that the liability of the Borrower towards the secured creditor **as on 29.06.2026** amounts to **Rs. 39,86,968.00/- (Thirty-Nine Lakhs Eighty-Six Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Eight Rupees)** plus further Interest and charges thereon, the details of which together with future interest rate are stated in Schedule C hereunder. It is further stated that the Borrower/Guarantor having failed to keep up with the terms of the above said agreement in clearing the dues of the secured creditor within the time given and have been evasive in settling the dues. The operation and conduct of the above said financial assistance / credit facility/ies having come to a standstill and as a consequence of the default committed in repayment of principal debt/ instalment and interest thereon, the secured creditor was constrained to classify the debt as **Non-Performing Asset (NPA) as on 04.03.2026** in accordance with the directives/guidelines relating to asset classification issued by the Reserve Bank of India.

The secured creditor through this notice brings to your attention that the Borrower has failed and neglected to repay the said dues/ outstanding liabilities and hence hereby demand you under Section 13(2) of the Act, by issuing this notice to discharge in full the liabilities of the Borrower as stated in Schedule C hereunder to the secured creditor within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice. Further, it is brought to your notice that you are also liable to pay future interest at the rate of mentioned in schedule C together with all costs, charges, expenses and incidental expenses with respect to the proceedings undertaken by the secured creditor in recovering its dues.

Please take note of the fact that if you fail to repay to the secured creditor the aforesaid sum of **Rs. 39,86,968.00/- (Thirty-Nine Lakhs Eighty-Six Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Eight Rupees) as on 29.06.2026** together with further interest (as stated in schedule C) and incidental expenses and costs as stated above in terms of this notice under Section 13(2) of the Act, the secured creditor will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub-section (4)(a) and (b) of Section 13, the extract of which is given here below to convey the seriousness of this issue :

13(4)- In case the Borrower / Guarantor fails to discharge liability in full within the period specified in sub-section (2), the secured creditor may take recourse to one or more of the following measures to recover his secured debt, namely;

(a) Take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower / Guarantor including the right to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realizing the secured asset;
(b) Take over the management of the business of the Borrower including the right to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realizing the secured asset:

Provided that the right to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale shall be exercised only where the substantial part of the business of the Borrower is held as security for the debt;

Provided further that where the management of whole of the business or part of the business is severable, the secured creditor shall take over the management of such business of the borrower which is relatable to the security for the debt and under other applicable provisions of the said Act.

Your attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

You are also put on notice that in terms of Section 13(13) the Borrower / Guarantor shall not transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed in Schedule B hereunder without obtaining written consent of the secured creditor. It is further brought to your notice that any contravention of this statutory injunction/ restraint, as provided under the said Act, is an offence and if for any reason, the secured assets are sold or leased out in the ordinary course of business, the sale proceeds or income realized shall be deposited with the secured creditor. In this regard you shall have to render proper accounts of such realization / income.

This notice of Demand is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which the secured creditor may have including further demands for the sums found due and payable by you.

This is without prejudice to any other rights available to the secured creditor under the Act and/or any other law in force.

Please comply with the demand under this notice and avoid all unpleasantness. In case of Non- compliance, further needful action will be resorted to, holding you liable for all costs and consequence.

Yours faithfully,
for Authorised Officer

SCHEDULE – A
[Details of the Credit Facility/ies availed by the Borrowers]

Sl.No.	Loan No	Nature of Loan / Limit	Sanctioned Amount (Rs.)
1.	160001325500	Housing Loan	Rs. 58,22,000.00

SCHEDULE – B
[Details of Security Assets]

Sl. No.	Nature	Name of Title Holder
1.	**Schedule "A" Property :- (Description of entire Property on which Apartment being constructed) - Tripartite Agreement in Favour of Borrower :-** All that piece and parcel of the immovable property comprising Converted Land (Converted vide Official Memorandum No.: ALN- (A) - (HS)-SR-02/2011-12, Dated 11-05-2011, Issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District), bearing Sy.No. 216, Situated in S.Medahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Measuring 2-00 Acres; and bounded on : **East by :** Narayana Reddy's land in Sy.No. 216, **West by :** Chikka Muni Reddy's land in Sy.No. 214, **North by :** Property bearing Sy.No. 215, **South by :** Road, **Schedule "B" Property :- (Description of the undivided interest of land agreed to be conveyed) -** 648 SFT of undivided share, rights, title and interest in the Schedule 'A' Property, which is the corresponding undivided share in respect of Schedule-C Apartment unit. **Schedule "C" Property :- (Description of the Apartment Unit/Flat agreed to be conveyed) :-** All that piece and parcel of One Flat / Apartment Unit, i.e, Flat No. A-102, Measuring a super built-up area of 1440 SFT (which is also inclusive of balconies and a proportionate share in the common areas), Situated in First Floor, in A-Block (As per plan attached hereto) with One Covered Car Parking Space in the Surface Floor, in the residential apartment Building known as "ABAN DESIRE", being constructed on the Schedule-A Property.	**Tripartite Agreement in Favour of Borrower Mr. Hareesh Pabbatti Executed by Builder M/s. Aban Developers Pvt Ltd**

SCHEDULE – C
[Details of liability as on date 29.06.2026]

Sl. No.	Loan No	Nature of Loan / Limit	Principal as on Date 29.06.2026	Interest and other charges as on Date 29.06.2026	Total Liability as on Date 29.06.2026	Rate of Interest
1.	160001325500	Housing Loan	Rs. 37,15,667.00	Rs. 2,71,301.00	Rs. 39,86,968.00	As per applicable rate in accordance with banks rules in force

**** Our Earlier Demand Notices Dt. 07.03.2026 and 29.06.2026 are withdrawn**

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and many injured in a fire at an apartment block on the outskirts of the Belgian city of Antwerp

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Beijing	29	20	SNY	Los Angeles	27	18	SNY
Colombo	29	27	SNY	Melbourne	26	15	LC
Dhaka	32	28	SNY	Moscow	28	16	SNY
Dubai	34	31	SNY	New York	30	22	SNY
Houston	33	27	TDS	Singapore	31	28	TDS
Istanbul	33	21	SNY	Toronto	26	19	SNY
London	13	9	SNY	Washington	31	21	SNY

Trump upbeat as Doha talks on US-Iran deal gather pace

Technical talks focus on implementing the ceasefire, reopening the Strait of Hormuz and resolving key issues before reaching a permanent deal

DOHA

IRAN and the United States began indirect talks with mediators in Doha on Wednesday in a push to advance negotiations and quell tensions following exchanges of fire between the two sides.

Trump hails progress

Meanwhile, US President Donald Trump hailed the progress, saying there had been "very good meetings" in Doha.

"As far as things are going, the denuclearisation of Iran is moving along well. They've had very good meetings, and we'll see," Trump told reporters. "We hit them very hard... but we're getting along very well," he said.

Iran, however, insisted there would be no direct negotiations with Washington. Foreign ministry spokesman Esmaeil Baqaei said the Iranian delegation, led by Deputy Foreign Minister Kazem Gharibabadi, had "no plans for negotiations with the American side at any level over the coming days".

Technical talks, mediated by Qatar and Pakistan, are focused on implementing the memorandum of understanding reached last month. The agreement includes a 60-day ceasefire, the reopening of the Strait of Hormuz and a framework for a final deal to permanently end the conflict and address Iran's nuclear programme.

Qatar said US and Iranian officials held separate meetings with its leadership as efforts continued to advance the negotiations.

Hormuz ship grounding

As the talks continued, Iranian state television reported that a foreign container ship had run aground in the Strait of Hormuz after using a route not approved by Tehran.

The vessel became stranded in shallow waters after failing to follow the instructions of Iran's Revolutionary Guard, state television said, adding that ships should use only authorised routes through the strategic waterway.

The incident underscored continuing tensions over the Strait of Hormuz, a key sticking point in the negotiations.

Under the interim agreement, ships can pass through the strait for 60 days without charges, but Iran insists it should control shipping routes and eventually levy transit fees, a demand opposed by the United States and Gulf Arab states. *AFP*

WAR WATCH

People stand in shallow water as a cargo ship appears anchored in the Strait of Hormuz off Bandar Abbas, Iran | AP

Israeli troops to stay in Gaza, Lebabon & Syria

JERUSALEM: Israel said on Wednesday that its forces would remain in security zones in Lebanon, Syria and Gaza "until further notice". "The IDF will remain in the security zones... in order to protect Israel's residents and communities," Defence Minister Israel Katz said. Katz also warned Iran it would be struck with "full force" if it attacked Israel over its operations in Lebanon. Israeli officials have repeatedly said troops will withdraw from southern Lebanon only after Hezbollah is disarmed.

Shipping groups still deem Hormuz war zone

LONDON: Unions and shipping employers on Wednesday extended the Strait of Hormuz's designation as a warlike operations area until at least July 9, despite the fragile US-Iran truce. The decision means seafarers covered under International Bargaining Forum labour agreements will continue to receive double pay and retain the right to refuse to sail through the strategic waterway. The International Transport Workers' Federation said the move reflected continuing security risks.

EXPRESS READ

US to revive supersonic flights after 53 years

WASHINGTON: US transportation officials have proposed replacing a 53-year ban on overland supersonic flights with noise-based standards after NASA's successful test of its X-59 "quiet" aircraft. The proposed rule would allow aircraft to fly faster than the speed of sound if they meet noise limits. Officials say the move could pave the way for a new generation of commercial supersonic travel.

US to build permanent embassy in Jerusalem

JERUSALEM: The United States on Wednesday signed an agreement to build a permanent embassy compound in Jerusalem, with Israel calling it a reflection of the countries' "unbreakable alliance". The move follows President Donald Trump's 2017 recognition of Jerusalem as Israel's capital and relocation of the US embassy from Tel Aviv. The new complex will be built at the Allenby compound in southern Jerusalem, consolidating diplomatic operations at one site.

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Tender Notice No. 17-ST-26-27-Sr. DEE -M-HYB & 18-OEW-26-27-Sr.DEE-M-HYB. PUB/411/26

Sr.DEE/M/HYB acting for and on behalf of The President of India invites E-Tenders against following Tenders. Closing date: 24-07-2026, 15:00. Bidders will be able to submit their original/ revised bids up to closing date and time only. Manual offers are not allowed against this tender, and any such manual offer received shall be ignored.

Sl. No.: 1, **Description of work:** Tender No. 17-ST-26-27-Sr.DEE-M-HYB: Hyderabad Division: 1) Replacement of Panel Interlocking both indoor and outdoor by Electronic Interlocking System at CVB Station on HUN/HDN Routes – Electrical arrangements. 2) Signaling arrangement in connection with Interlocking of LC No.103 at Km No.194/800-900 between GWD-PDO Stations – Electrical arrangements. 3) Signaling arrangements in connection with Interlocking of LC Gate Nos. 231, 235 & 238 on STPD-MUE Section – Electrical arrangements. **Approx. Cost Rs.:** 1,00,75,259/- **EMD Rs.:** 2,01,500/- **Completion Period:** 6 Months, **Date of Closing**: 24-07-2026.

Sl. No.: 2, **Description of work:** Tender No. 18-OEW-26-27-Sr.DEE-M-HYB: Hyderabad Division: Provision of Cameras to Lifts over the Division, **Approx. Cost Rs.:** 79,59,122/- **EMD Rs.:** 1,59,200/- **Completion Period:** 6 Months, **Date of Closing**: 24-07-2026.

Website particulars: **www.ireps.gov.in**

Notice Board Location where complete details of tender can be seen: Office of the Sr.DEE/M/HYB, Hyderabad Bhavan,Secunderabad – 500071

Sr. Divisional Electrical Engineer/ Hyderabad

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER (through https://ireps.gov.in) PUB/412/26

CE/C-II/SC, CE/C-VI/SC & CE/C/Plg. & Sy./SC Construction Organization, S.C.Railway, Secunderabad, respectively, invites e-tender on behalf of the President of India for the following works:

S.No.: 1, **NIT No.:** 33-CAO-C-SC-2026 Date: 23.06.2026, **Name of work:** South Central Railway - Construction Organisation : Secunderabad Division : Secunderabad - Wadi Section : Execution of Earth work in Embankment & Cutting, Blanketing to RDSO standards, Construction of Major bridges, Minor bridges & Road Under Bridges (RUBs), Construction of Station & Service Buildings, Approach Roads, High Level Platforms and Execution of Miscellaneous Civil works in connection with Proposed new 3rd & 4th line Yard Arrangements at (1) Telapur Station (TLPR) - From Km:154.000 to Km: 159.000 (Excluding Nagalapalli, Lingampalli, and BHEL Halt Stations) (2) Borabanda Station (BRBD) - From Km:171.000 to Km:173.500. **Estimated Cost:** Rs 93,73,86,092.99, **EMD:** Rs.1,87,47,700 /- **Completion Period:** 12 (Twelve) Months. **Date of Opening:** 28.07.2026 15:00 hrs.

S.No.: 2, **NIT No.:** 34-CAO-C-SC-2026 Date: 25.06.2026, **Name of work:** SCR Construction Organization: Hyderabad Division: Proposed laying and linking of BG track, Assembling and insertion of Points and crossings, Supplying, Leading and dumping of stone ballast and execution of other miscellaneous works from Ch.238000.0 m to 255500.0 between Alampur (excluding yard) to Dupadu (including yard) stations. **Estimated Cost:** Rs 20,87,68,547.49, **EMD:** Rs. 41,75,400.00 **Completion Period:** 18 (Eighteen) Months. **Date of Opening:** 17.07.2026 15:00 hrs.

S.No.: 3, **NIT No.:** DDC-01-CAO-C-SC-2026 Date: 24.06.2026, **Name of work:** SCR Construction Organization: Appointment of Detailed Design Consultant for providing services related to Structural Designs for New Line, Doubling, 3rd & 4th Line Projects, Road Over Bridges and Road Under Bridges etc., including Station Buildings, FOBs, PF Shelters and other ancillary Structures" for projects under CAO/ Construction, South Central Railway, Secunderabad. **Estimated Cost:** Rs 9,26,28,000.00, **EMD:** Rs. 6,13,100/- **Completion Period:** 36 (Thirty Six) Months. **Date of Opening:** 17.08.2026 15:00 hrs.

i) For bid document and other details, please login to website **https://ireps.gov.in**.

ii) Tenderers can submit their offers online during tender submission period which is the Fifteen days period prior to closing of tender.

iii) Tenderers should watch for any corrigenda (issued online only) up to the date of commencement of the tender submission period.

Chief Administrative Officer/Construction/ Secunderabad A481

For further tender conditions/ details and for downloading the tender documents, Please visit website at https://www.ireps.gov.in or www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT
COIMBATORE (H) CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE CIRCLE
AMENDMENT to Tender Notice No. 1/2026-27 / HDO, Dated 29.06.2026

The notification stating that details of the work, approximate value, earnest money deposit, tender documents, and all other particulars would be available on the Government website **https://tntenders.gov.in** starting from 04.06.2026 is hereby amended to state that they will be available **from 04.07.2026 onwards.**

Date: 01.07.2026
Superintending Engineer (H), C&M, Coimbatore Circle
DIPR/2178/TENDER/2026

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IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC AT DEVANAHALLI
C. Misc. No. 197/2026

BETWEEN: Sri. Subramanya .K.S & another ... **PETITIONERS**

AND: The Tahasildar, Devanahalli Taluk & others. ... **RESPONDENTS**

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, the undersigned Counsel appearing on behalf of my clients Sri. Subramanya.K.S and another have filed petition for issuance of Death Certificate of Munishamappa S/o late Bacchappa who died on 09-01-1962, at Kannamangala Village, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District. If any of the parties have objections or claims, may dispute regarding the same or any other interested person/s could appear before the Principal Civil Judge & JMFC, at Devanahalli on the next date of hearing i.e., on **18/07/2026** at **11:00 A.M.** in C.Mis.No.197/2026.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 24/06/2026

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Civil Judge & J.M.F.C Court, Devanahalli

SANTHOSH KUMAR .G, B.L. SANJAY
Advocates
No.26/2, Sri. Krishna Building, Avenue Road, Bengaluru-560 002.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This notice is issued on behalf of My client **Mr. B SHANKAR,** S/o. Late. K Balaraman to the notice of the general public that the original **HAKKU PATRA** in the name of **Mrs. B Shantha** W/o. K Balaraman, issued by Mysore Government, is missing / lost / misplaced in respect of schedule property.

If any person/s, firm, company, institution or organization has any claim are holding the afore mentioned document or schedule property, they may contact the undersigned in writing within **07 days** from the date of this notice falling which it will be presumed that there are no claims.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of vacant **Site No. 270,** having **E-Khatha No. 9630544773,** (old Khatha No. 274), measuring **East to West 45 Feet** and **North to South 30 Feet** Total Measuring **1350 Sq. Ft.**, curved out of Sy. No. 68, situated at **HEGGANAHALLI Village, Yeshvanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bangalore District, Karnataka - 560091** and bounded on:

East : Road; West : Site No. 269; North : Site No. 268; South : Site No. 272.

DEVENDRA NAIK, Advocate
ATRIUM JURIS
Advocates and Legal Consultants
No. 510, 1st Floor, Lakshmiram Building, 6th Cross, Mahalakshmi Layout, Near Karnataka Bank, Bengaluru-560 086
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ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE

The State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Karnataka (Constituted by MoEF&CC, Government of India) has accorded the Environmental Clearance for the Proposed Modification and Expansion of Residential Development "In that Quiet Earth" at Sy. Nos. 30/5, 30/6, 30/7, 30/8, 30/9, 30/11, 30/12, 30/13, 31/11, 31/12, 31/18, 31/19, 31/21, 31/22, 31/23, 31/24, 31/25, 32/11, 32/12, 32/14, 32/15, 32/16, 32/17, 32/18, 35/2, 35/3, 36, 37, 38/1, 38/2, 38/3, 38/4, 38/5, 39/1, 39/2, 39/3, 40/1, 40/2, 41, 43, 44/2, 44/3, 44/4, 44/5, 49/5, 54/1, 54/2, 54/3, 54/4, 54/5, 54/6, 54/7, 54/8, 54/9, 54/10, 54/11, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59/1, 59/2, 59/3, 59/4, 59/5, 60/1, 60/2, 60/3, 61/1, 61/2, 61/3, 61/4, 61/5, 61/6, 61/7, 62/1, 62/2, 62/3, 63/1, 63/2, 63/3, 63/5, 63/6, 64/1, 64/2, 64/3, 64/4, 64/5, 64/6, 64/7, 64/8, 64/9, 64/10, 64/11, 64/12, 64/13, 64/14, 64/15, 64/16, 65/1, 65/2, 65/3, 66/1, 66/2, 66/3, 66/4, 66/5, 67, 68, 69/1, 69/2, 70, 71, 72, 73/2, 74/3(P), 75/1, 75/2, 75/3, 75/10, 76/1, 86/2, 139 of Bileshivale Village & 30, 117 of Rampura Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District by M/s. Total Environment Constructions Private Limited Bengaluru vide No. SEIAA 64 CON 2026 Dated. 12.05.2026. The Copy of the clearance letter may also be seen on the website ofMoEF&CC/SEIAA, Karnataka at http://parivesh.nic.in. http://envrionmentclearance.nic.in. http://seiaa.karnataka.gov.in

This Public notice is issued in compliance with the condition laid down in the above-mentioned Environmental Clearance.

IN THE COURT OF THE III ADDL. DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT ANEKAL, BENGALURU RURAL DISTRICT
M.A. No. 5008/2024

B. SIDDAIAH (DEAD) BY HIS LRS ...Appellant
V/s. TAHSILDAR & OTHERS. ...Respondents

NOTICE TO RESPONDENT NOS. 10 TO 12 UNDER ORDER V RULE 20 OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE, 1908

Whereas the above appeal against order dated 24/10/1981 in VOA 77/80-81 is pending before this Hon'ble Court and whereas the Hon'ble Court has ordered substituted service by way of paper publication upon Respondent Nos.10 to 12, namely:

1. Sri. Nagarjan, S/o Srinivasamurthy, aged about 62 years;
2. Sri. R.S. Rajagopalan, S/o Srinivasamurthy, aged about 80 years;
3. Sri. R.S. Ramakrishna, S/o Srinivasamurthy, aged about 77 years;

All Residing at No.1187, 8th Cross, Ashok Nagar, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bengaluru -560050.

The above named Respondent Nos.10 to 12 are hereby called upon to appear either in person or through their counsel before the Court of the III Addl. District and Sessions Judge, Anekal Bengaluru Rural District, in M.A. No.5008/2024 on **21-07-2026 at 11.00 A.M.** failing which the matter will be heard and disposed of in accordance with law in their absence.

By Order of the Court
Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
III Addl. Dist & Sessions Judge's Court Anekal, Bangalore Rural District

Advocate for Appellant GAURAV G.K.
Office at 51, 1st Floor, Vinaya, 2nd Main Road, Sheshadripuram, Bengaluru -560020

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the general public that our clients **Sri. Girish Sunnakal,** S/o. Mallikarjuna S., aged about 37 years, residing at No.56, 4th Main, 2nd Stage, Magadi Main Road, Near Corporation Hospital, Ashtagrama Layout, Basaveshwaranagar, Bengaluru 560079, and **Smt. Priyanka Jadamali,** W/o. Sri. Girish Sunnakal, aged about 34 years, residing at No.56, 2nd Stage, 4th Main, Kamakshipalya Ashtagrama Layout, Basaveshwaranagar, Bengaluru 560079, intend to purchase the Schedule Property from its absolute owner **Sri. Alwala Srinivas,** S/o. Alwala Markandeya Sarma, aged about 49 years, residing at No.4-10-65, Plot No.102, Street No.9, HMT Nagar, Nacharam, Rangareddi, Hyderabad 500076.

Any person(s), Bank, Financial Institution, Company or Authority having any right, title, interest, claim, charge, lien, mortgage, lease, easement, inheritance, agreement, court attachment, acquisition proceedings or any other objection whatsoever in respect of the Schedule Property is hereby called upon to submit the same together with supporting documentary evidence to the undersigned within **Seven (7) days** from the date of publication of this notice.

Failing which, it shall be presumed that no person has any objection or claim over the Schedule Property, and our clients shall proceed with the purchase of the Schedule Property without any further reference to such claim or objection, and any such claim made thereafter shall be deemed to have been waived.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Item No.1: All that piece and parcel of **Vacant Site bearing No.43,** known as **"Raghavendra Layout"**, Khatha No.43/43, PID No.150200201400204050, formed in Converted Sy. Nos.26 and 62/2, carved out of the residential layout approved by the Nelamangala Planning Authority vide No. NPA/LAO/14/2005-06 dated 13.09.2005, situated at Kadabagere Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, measuring East to West 45 Feet (13.716 Metres) and North to South 30 Feet (9.144 Metres), in all measuring 1,350 Square Feet (125.41 Sq. Metres), and bounded on:

East by : Site No.62, **West by :** Road
North by : Site No.44, **South by :** Site No.42

Item No.2: All that piece and parcel of **Vacant Site bearing No.44,** known as **"Raghavendra Layout"**, Khatha No.44/44, PID No.150200201400222989, formed in Converted Sy. Nos.26 and 62/2, carved out of the residential layout approved by the Nelamangala Planning Authority vide No. NPA/LAO/14/2005-06 dated 13.09.2005, situated at Kadabagere Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, measuring East to West 45 Feet (13.716 Metres) and North to South 30 Feet (9.144 Metres), in all measuring 1,350 Square Feet (125.41 Sq. Metres), and bounded on:

East by : Site No.61, **West by :** Road
North by : Site No.45, **South by :** Site No.43

M/s Vista Legal,
Advocates and Legal Consultants,
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PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby notified that my client **Sri. R. KESHAVA** S/o Ramanchandrappa, has intends to purchase the schedule property from its owner **Sri. H. L. MUNIRAJU** S/o Doddalakshmaiah, aged about 50 years R/at Hyadala Village, Channarayapatna Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. The schedule property is originally ancestral and joint family property of Muniyappa S/o Shankappa @ Shankarappa of Chikkathathamangala Village, Vijayapura Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk. The present owner Sri. H. L. Muniraju having acquired the schedule property under a sale deed dated: 06-04-2026 from Sri. Umesh and others said sale deed was duly registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar Devanahalli as document No. DNH-1-00268/2026-2027. Based on said sale deed the name of purchaser Muniraju has been mutated as per Mutation No. M R H34/2025-2026 dated: 18-04-2026.

If anybody has/have any right, title or interest or claim whatsoever in any manner over the schedule property he/she/they may file their objections along with relevant documents of title to substantiate his/her/their such claim, interest or right over the schedule property to the under signed Advocate within **15 days** from the date of this publication and in the event of any objections are not filed or received by me. I instruct my client to purchase the schedule property from the above said vendor and get the sale deed registered as per the negotiations held with the present owners.

SCHEDULE

All that peace and parcel of the agricultural property bearing its **Survey No. 52/2** measuring to an extent of 0-32 guntas situated at **Chikkathathamangala Village,** Vijayapura Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and bounded on the:

East : Land belonging to Muniyappa
West : Land belonging to Anjinappa
North : Road and Land belonging to Chikka Pillamma
South : Land belonging to Chikka Munishamappa

B. M. BEERAPPA,
Advocate,
SRI SAI LAW CHAMBER,
No.2, 2nd Floor, Above Mayura Bakery, Giriyamma Circle, Devanahalli Town, Bangalore Rural District-562110,
Mob: 9880653434

PUBLIC NOTICE

MY CLIENTS INTENDS TO PURCHASE THE SCHEDULE PROPERTY FROM ITS OWNER **Sri.KRUPAKARA REDDY.N,** S/o. Sri. M. Narayana Reddy, Aged about 54 years, Residing at No.18, Sricha Residency, 9th Cross,K.R. Layout, Phase-6, J.P.Nagar, BANGALORE-560078. Aadhar No.444597833475.

Any person/s or any organization or Financial Institute Asserting any rights, title, claim or charge in the schedule property ,having any claims against the property/or its owner/s to such sale in favour of my client should write to the undersigned within **5 DAYS FROM** issuing of this public Notice. With all documentary proof/s on which they are their rights over the schedule property or any part thereof after which period my client shall proceed on the basis that there are no claims of whatsoever nature with regards to the schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ITEM NO.1: All That Piece and Parcel of the Property **bearing Site No.9,** old Katha No.175/142, bearing RDPR Property I.D.No.150200100700100223. and Katha No.225/142/9, V P Katha No.9784934495. Katha No.232/142/9, layout formed in converted Sy. No.11, 12/1, 20. vide conversion order No: ALN/SR(A) 118/2004-05, dated 04-08-2004 and the layout plan approved by the BMRDA vide No. BMRDA-LAO-20/2004-05.dated 01-09-2004, for residential purpose orders passed by Sub-Divisional Commissioner, Bangalore South Taluk Sub-division, situated at, **Kyalasanahalli Village,** Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, ward No.1. Bangalore Urban District, measuring totally measuring 1960 Sq.feet, bounded on the

East by : Site No.1,
West by : 30 feet Road,
North by : Private Property,
South by : Site No. 10.

Item No.2: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No. 10, old Katha No.175/142, bearing RDPR Property I.D.No.150200100700100224. and Katha No.226/142/10, V P katha No.3325383178. Katha No.233/142/10, layout formed in converted Sy. No.11, 12/1, 20. vide conversion order No: ALN/SR(A) 118/2004-05, dated 04-08-2004 and the layout plan approved by the BMRDA vide No. BMRDA-LAO-20/2004-05.dated 01-09-2004, for residential purpose orders passed by Sub-Divisional Commissioner, Bangalore South Taluk Sub-division, situated at,Kyalasanahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, ward No.1.Bangalore Urban District, measuring East to West 50 feet, North to South 30 feet, totally measuring 1500 Sq. Ft., bounded on the

East by : Site No.2,
West by : 30 ft Road,
North by : Site No.9,
South by : Site No. 11

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PUBLIC CAUTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the general public on behalf elegant Properties Registered Office at Flat 101, Elegant Desire No.1 Coles Road, Frazer Town, Bangalore 560005 (hereinafter referred to as the **"Developer").** represented by partner Mr. B.RAJASHEKAR

The Developer had entered into a Joint Development 27.12.2017 registered as Document No. INR-1-08722-2017-18 in the office of the Sub registrar Indiranagar with the Landowners: Puneet Sabhharwal, Vineet Sabharwal, Varun Sabharwal, Ambika Bharadwaj in respect of the property detailed in the Schedule below (hereinafter referred to as the "Schedule Property").

Under the terms of the said Agreement, the Developer was granted absolute and exclusive development rights, marketing rights, and a substantial financial interest in the Schedule Property. The Developer has already invested significant capital, time, and resources toward the development of the project.

However, the Landowners have committed material breaches of the terms and conditions of the JDA and MOU without the consent or knowledge of the Developer.

The general public is hereby strongly cautioned and advised **NOT to enter into any transaction,** including but not limited to Buying, leasing, renting, or licensing any apartments Taking any mortgage, charge, or creating any encumbrance which have fallen to the share of the land owners or any person(s) claiming through or under them in respect of the Schedule Property.

Any such sale, alienation, transfer, or encumbrance created on the Schedule Property by the Land owners will be illegal, void ab initio, and will not bind the Developer. Anyone dealing with the Schedule Property or the Landowners in defiance of this notice shall do so entirely at their own risk, cost, and consequences. The Developer shall not be responsible for any financial loss or legal complications arising therefrom.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

Flats situated on the Ground floor, entire second Floor, Third Floor Park facing on all that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing land with building thereon bearing corporation No. 198, situated in Defence Colony HAL II Site in Old Corporation Division 67 New Division No.74 PID No.74-2-198 (New PID No. 09-80-W0154-15) Bangalore and bounded on the East by Park; West By: 40 ft wide road South by: 30 ft Wide road South by Site No.199 measuring on the east 70 Feet West 70 Feet North 100 Feet South 100 Feet.

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Syria names 70 lawmakers as Parliament takes shape

DAMASCUS

THE first Parliament in Syria's post-Assad era took shape on Wednesday with the announcement of 70 legislators selected by interim President Ahmad al-Sharaa to join the 140 chosen in elections over the past eight months.

The 210-member Parliament will hold its first meeting on Monday when the members will be sworn in, the head of Syria's electoral committee, Mohammed Taha al-Ahmad, told reporters. The launch of the Parliament indicates that the country is moving ahead with drafting new laws as it recovers from decades of autocratic rule under the Assad family and a deadly war that killed about half a million people.

The 70 legislators picked by al-Sharaa included 15 women, which raised the number of female members in the legislature to 22. *AP*

US lifts restrictions on Anthroic's new models after review

SAN FRANCISCO

ANTHROPIC will soon begin restoring access globally to its most powerful AI models, Fable 5 and Mythos 5, after the US government lifted a restriction on where they could be released, the company said Tuesday.

Over the past couple of weeks, the Trump administration has invoked national security concerns to limit the ability of major US tech companies to release advanced models, including those from Anthropic which some researchers feared could be exploited to bypass cybersecurity measures.

"We've received notice that the Department of Commerce has lifted export controls on Claude Fable 5 and Mythos 5," Anthropic posted on X. "We'll begin restoring access tomorrow." Just four days ago, the company said it had received authorization from the government to allow a small group of American cybersecurity firms to access Mythos 5. Secretary of Commerce Howard Lutnick said in a June 26 letter to the company that "Anthropic has worked with the US government to address risks associated with the Covered Models," Politico reported.

The government abruptly forced Anthropic to cut off access to its two cutting-edge artificial intelligence models on June 12 after discovering vulnerabilities in the safeguards put in place to prevent misuse of the tool. On Tuesday, Lutnick told Anthropic in a letter that the Trump administration had "withdrawn" its previous restrictions on the release of the company's models, Politico reported.

The letter indicated that the Trump administration was satisfied, at least for now, that Anthropic had "taken steps in close coordination with the U.S. government to address the risks associated with Claude Mythos 5 and Claude Fable 5."

ANTHROPIC
Anthropic is an AI safety and research company. We build reliable, interpretable, and steerable AI systems.
Make AI agents you

FILE - Pages from the Anthropic website and the company's logo are displayed on a computer screen in New York | AP

Like Anthropic, rival AI lab OpenAI has also complied with Washington's requests to restrict its own release of a new, powerful model called GPT-5.6 to a limited set of approved partners. "This isn't quite the process that we think is optimal," OpenAI CEO Sam Altman said Friday in a post on X, alongside an explanation of the GPT-5.6 launch. Anthropic did not immediately respond to a request for comment Tuesday.

However, in a blog post published Tuesday evening, Anthropic called for the development of a standardised "framework" to both assess critical vulnerabilities in advanced models and respond to them before they can be exploited by malicious actors.

The San Francisco-based AI lab will work with Amazon, Microsoft, Google and others on the effort. "This problem will become more acute in the coming months, as more models with powerful cybersecurity (and other) capabilities are trained, assessed, and released," the blog post said. A June 2 order proposed voluntary rules for advanced AI models. *AFP*

Ukraine strikes Russia's Ufa oil refinery for second time in week

KYIV

UKRAINIAN forces struck Russia's major Ufa oil refinery for the second time in a week, Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy said on Wednesday. Almost daily long-range attacks on Russian oil facilities have created a fuel crisis and heaped political pressure on the Kremlin as its all-out invasion of Ukraine stretches into its fifth year.

The Ufa refinery is one of Russia's largest producers of lubricants and is located more than 1,000 kilometers from Ukraine, Zelenskyy said on social media. Ukraine also struck a plant producing missile components in Russia's Penza region southeast of Moscow, some 500 kilometers from Ukraine, Zelenskyy said.

Russian officials did not confirm the strikes, which could not be independently verified. The Russian Defense Ministry reported intercepting 179 Ukrainian drones over 16 Russian regions, the annexed Crimea and waters of the Azov and the Black Sea. Penza regional Gov. Oleg Melnichenko said that Ukrainian drones struck two industrial plants in the city of Penza, injuring two people at one of them. He didn't name the plants or describe the damage. The explosions shattered windows in two apartment buildings in Penza, Melnichenko said, while downed drone debris damaged a power line and fell on a building under construction. *AP*

Russian TOS-1 Solntsepyok heavy flamethrower rocket launcher fires towards the Ukrainian positions | AP

Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD*			SILVER*			FOREX		
443.97 ▲	Sensex	76,922.64	₹1,150 ▼	24 carat (10 gm)	₹140,930	₹5,000 ▲	1 kg	₹240,000	▲	Dollar	94.73
140.10 ▲	Nifty	24,005.85	₹1,260 ▼	22 carat (10 gm)	₹129,200	₹50 ▲	10 gm	₹2,400	▲	Euro	108.02

*Delhi Mandi Price

Car sales remain firm despite high oil prices

Domestic passenger vehicle sales grew by 24% to 147,187 units in June

NAYARA CUTS PETROL PRICES BY ₹5 PER LITRE, DIESEL BY ₹3

NEW DELHI: As tensions in West Asia ease following more than 100 days of disruption to global crude oil and natural gas supplies, oil marketing companies have begun lowering fuel prices in India. Nayara Energy has become the first fuel retailer to reduce retail prices of petrol and diesel. It has cut petrol prices by ₹5/litre and diesel prices by ₹3/litre, with effect from July 1, across its network of over 7,000 fuel stations. *ENS*

2L units

Passenger vehicles carmaker Maruti Suzuki (MSIL) sold in June

We sold close to 1,75,000 units in retail...We are expecting our market share to rise by 2%

Partho Banerjee, sr.executive officer, marketing & sales, MSIL

EXPRESS ILLUSTRATION

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

DEMAND for passenger vehicles (PVs) remained strong in the first quarter of financial year 2026-2027, a period which was marked by geopolitical tension in West Asia and a rise in petrol, diesel and CNG prices.

After recording sales growth of 25% in April and 27% in May, total domestic PV wholesales are likely to have grown by another 25% in June to 4 lakh units, with the top players Maruti Suzuki, Tata Motors and Mahindra & Mahindra leading the charge. Country's largest carmaker Maruti Suzuki (MSIL) sold 200,390 units in June. Domestic PV sales grew by 24% to 147,187 units in June 2026, while Q1FY26 sales came at 525,228 units as against 393,572 units sold in the same quarter last fiscal.

"In June, we had a block shutdown of one week during which there was no production. Despite that, we have achieved the highest-ever wholesale, thanks to the capacity enhancement of certain lines in Kharkhoda. We sold close to 1,75,000 units in retail...Due to this good performance, our retail market share is going up. We are expecting our market share to rise by 2%," said Partho Banerjee, senior executive officer, marketing & sales. Banerjee attributed the PV industry's strong performance to three tailwinds: GST 2.0, income tax benefit and repo rate cuts.

Tata Motors Passenger Vehicles (TMPV) was the standout performer in June, with its domestic sales rising by 67% to 62,076 units. During Q1, Tata reported sales growth of 45% to 180,166 units, maintaining its second-largest PV player position by selling 6,500 more vehicles than M&M. TMPV's EV sales nearly tripled to 14,800 units in June 2026 as against 5,228 units in June 2025.

M&M sold 60,393 vehicles in the domestic market, a growth of 28% and overall, 61,504 vehicles, including exports. In Q1, Mahindra's domestic sales grew by 15% to 174,745 units. Shailesh Chandra, MD and CEO, TMPV, said while supply constraints impacted Sierra volumes during the quarter, customer interest and booking momentum remain robust.

"Corrective measures are underway to further augment production from select vendors in line with demand and this will progressively enable us to accelerate deliveries from Q2 onward. With a strong order book, exciting products and sustained customer demand, we remain confident about maintaining our growth momentum through the rest of the year," stated Chandra.

Hyundai reported domestic sales of 39,635 units in June 2026, a 9.96% fall from 44,024 units in the year-ago period, after a fire at one of its suppliers' manufacturing facilities temporarily disrupted production. Toyota Kirloskar Motor reported 7% surge in sales to 31,016 units last month.

WhatsApp holds new feature launch

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

THE government has asked Meta-owned WhatsApp not to roll out its proposed username feature until it completes an assessment of concerns related to online fraud and cybercrime.

Sources said the government has asked Meta to submit a detailed explanation of the feature within three days and defer its launch until consultations are completed.

"The new WhatsApp username feature is a matter of concern as it has implications for digital security and could facilitate online fraud. We are examining it," a government official said.

TO BLOCK ATTEMPTS TO GUESS USERNAME KEY

The messaging platform said it will also limit the number of new people an account can contact, block repeated attempts to guess someone's username key, and deploy systems to detect and remove activity associated with impersonation and abuse.

WhatsApp recently announced a username feature that will allow users to create a unique username and initiate conversations without sharing their phone number. The company said the feature is aimed at enhancing user privacy by enabling people to connect through usernames instead of mobile numbers.

Responding to the government's concerns, WhatsApp said the feature has not yet gone live and will be rolled out gradually later this year.

"To protect against impersonation, we've held the highest-profile names — including those of public figures, government entities, celebrities and verified Meta accounts — so they can only be claimed by their legitimate owners. We have also reserved lookalike variations of known names. Users will still require a phone number to use WhatsApp, and we've built multiple layers of protection against scams into usernames," the company said in a statement.

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ON THE RISE

JUNE GST REVENUE RISES 14% TO ₹1.95L CR ON IMPORT TAX

PUSHPITA DEY @ New Delhi

GROSS goods and services tax (GST) collections rose 13.9% year-on-year to ₹1.95 lakh crore in June, driven primarily by a sharp increase in tax revenues from imports, which offset relatively modest growth in domestic collections.

As per finance ministry data, released on Tuesday, gross GST revenue stood at ₹1.95 lakh crore in June, as against ₹1.71 lakh crore in the corresponding month last year. Of the total collections, Central GST (CGST) contributed ₹37,376 crore, while state GST (SGST) accounted for ₹45,116 crore.

Domestic GST revenue grew 6.5% YoY to ₹1.34 lakh crore. GST revenues from imported goods surged 34.6% to ₹60,038 crore, emerging as the key driver of the overall rise in collections.

"The exceptional growth of 34% in import GST could be attributed to depreciation of rupee. Overall growth demonstrates resilience of the Indian economy amid geopolitical uncertainties," said Abhishek Jain, Partner and Head, Indirect Tax, KPMG in India.

After adjusting for refunds, net GST revenue rose 11.2% to ₹1.62 lakh crore in June from ₹1.45 lakh crore a year ago. Refunds rose 29.1% YoY to ₹32,436 crore. "The rise in refund disbursements, together with recent policy measures like extending export benefits to intermediary services, reflects the government's focus on improving business liquidity and strengthening export competitiveness," said Mahesh Jaising, Partner and Indirect Tax Leader, Deloitte India.

Gold, silver prices set for consolidation, to carry Q1 losing-streak into Q2

BENN KOCHUVEEDAN @ Mumbai

TAKING A HIT

1. On the CME, gold closed 28% down on June 30
2. Silver shed 59.5% at $52.48 an ounce
3. Fall in precious metals is due to rising dollar

AFTER three years of consecutive rally, precious metals are set for consolidation, with the metals entering the second quarter of loses on the back of deeper cuts in the first quarter.

While gold lost 12% to close at a 13-year quarterly closing low, silver lost much more at 18% sequentially. Compared with the January 29 peak of $5,600/ounce (28.35 grams) for gold and $127/oz for silver, the losses are much higher in Q2.

On the CME, gold closed 28% down, from its record peak, on June 30 at $4030.50 while silver shed 59.5% at $52.48 an ounce. For gold, this is the worst quarterly performance in 13 years and for silver, this is a 4-year poor show. While gold is trading flat at $4,047/oz, silver is down 1% at $59/oz on the first day of trade in new quarter.

These price reversals come after a dream-run of the past 2 years: gold surged 65% in 2025, 28% in 2024 and 24% in the year before, while silver rose 28%, following a 148% surge in 2025 and 22% in 2024 and 19% in the previous year and Q1 marks breaking a 5-quarter streak of gains—with the yellow metal losing close to 12% in June quarter, the steepest fall since December 2016, and silver closing 18% down, its sharpest fall since June 2022.

These corrections coincided with a crippling war in West Asia, upending global energy supplies and sending crude over the roof and missing the safe-haven rally even as equities saw fall and rise in inflation—the 2 events are ideal for rally but why the metals missed the same ironically?

As per analysts, the correction is due to the strengthening of dollar, along with rising fear of interest rate hikes to tame inflation. The wartime dollar rally is the most surprising factor. The fact is that despite the US making many self-goals on Iran war, dollar index continued to rally and in the third week of June it crossed 102-mark, hitting a 13-month peak. The metals' slide continued even after the truce announcement and crude erasing the war gains.

Saumil Gandhi, senior analyst, commodities, HDFC Securities, told TNIE that "the precious metals have entered a consolidation phase after an exceptional run in the past three years, which was primarily due to the geopolitical tension, record central bank buying, tariff and trade policy uncertainties, expectations of easier US monetary policy, and a relatively stable dollar."

Investments by PE-VC fall 3% to $6.45 bn in Q2 of 2026

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Channai

PRIVATE equity and venture capital (PE-VC) investments in Indian companies declined 3% year-on-year to $6.45 billion across 266 deals during the April-June quarter of 2026, reflecting continued caution among investors amid a challenging funding environment.

As per data from Venture Intelligence, PE-VC firms invested $6.6 billion across 309 deals during the corresponding quarter last year. The figures exclude private equity investments in real estate sector.

Compared with the January-March quarter, investments fell 42%, from $11 billion across 376 deals. Deal volumes fell 14% YoY and 29% sequentially. The quarter saw 17 mega deals (transactions worth over $100 mn) aggregating $3.8 billion, as against 15 such deals worth $3.6 billion in Q2 of 2025 and 21 deals worth $7.2 billion in the preceding quarter.

The largest investment during the quarter was $732 million investment in data centre platform CtrlS Data Centers by Canada-based pension fund CPPIB. This was followed by Fairfax Holdings' acquisition of a controlling stake in NBFC IIFL Capital Services for $384 million.

Other major transactions included creation of North Star Energy, a $300 million renewable energy investment platform by British International Investment (BII) and Copenhagen Infrastructure Partners; Carlyle's $300 million acquisition of healthcare revenue cycle management provider EqualizeRCM; and digital lender KreditBee's $280 million Series-E funding led by Advent International, Dragon Capital, Motilal Oswal Alternates, Orchid Asia, PremjiInvest and White Oak Capital Management.

Tier-2 cities drive growth in India's tech hiring

PADMINI DHRUVARAJ @ Bengaluru

HIRING activity in India's technology sector is expanding beyond the country's largest cities, with tier-2 locations recording faster growth than metro markets as global capability centres (GCCs) widen their footprint and employers add engineering, analytics and AI-related roles.

Tier-2 and tier-3 cities are seeing a larger share of new technology hiring even as Bengaluru, Hyderabad and other metro cities continue to account for most job openings.

Online talent and employment platform foundit said Tier-2 cities now account for 15% of GCC hiring and recorded 23% year-on-year growth, almost twice the pace of metro cities. Cities including Coimbatore, Jaipur, Kochi, Ahmedabad, Indore, Bhubaneswar and Visakhapatnam are attracting investment in engineering, analytics and AI-enabled operations, supported by talent availability and lower attrition than Tier-1 cities.

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Xpheno's July 2026 Active Tech Jobs Outlook also pointed to growing hiring outside major cities. Active technology openings in tier-2 and Tier-3 locations rose 14% from June and were 99% higher than a year earlier, although from a lower base. Metro cities still accounted for 66,000 active technology openings, while tier-2 and tier-3 locations accounted for 40,000.

However, Bengaluru still remains the country's largest technology hiring market. foundit said the city accounted for 30% of GCC hiring, followed by Hyderabad at 15%, Pune at 12%, Mumbai at 11%, Chennai at 9% and Delhi NCR at 8%.

Meanwhile, Xpheno estimated Bengaluru would record 24,000 active technology openings in July, ahead of Hyderabad and Delhi NCR with 9,000 openings each, and Pune and Chennai with 6,000 each.

foundit said GCC hiring is expected to reach 510,452 jobs in 2026, with AI, engineering and digital functions accounting for most new roles. It added that companies are expanding operations beyond traditional metro locations as capability centres take on more global technology work.

Indigo 'Lite' fare for ones with only cabin baggage

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

AMID a surge in airfare prices, IndiGo, India's largest airline, introduced an entry-level lite fare category wherein passengers can travel with only cabin baggage on direct domestic and international flights.

The fresh move by IndiGo comes weeks after Tata Group airline Air India introduced its own Basic fare, where it gave the option to opt out from complementary meal.

The change in fare structure by two leading airlines comes as India's aviation market is grappling with high operating costs and a slowdown in passenger demand. Owing to a sharp surge in jet fuel prices in the wake of the West Asia crisis, airlines have been taking several steps, including cutting down operations, to save costs.

While Air India, a full-service airline, has unbundled meals, IndiGo has unbundled check-in baggage. As per estimates, passengers can save Rs 300-500 by opting for unbundled services.

The new IndiGo fare includes one cabin bag weighing up to 7 kg and a personal item. 300 word. "Customers will enjoy a lower base price with an auto-assigned seat at no additional cost, and a cabin bag allowance of up to 7 kgs," the airline, which is operated by InterGlobe Aviation, said in a release on Wednesday.

The new fare option 'IndiGo Lite' will be available for economy class passengers and the ticket price will be the lowest among the options offered under various categories by the airline.

Central Bank of India inaugurates its IFSC Banking Unit at GIFT

Established in 1911, Central Bank of India was the first Indian commercial bank wholly owned and managed by Indians. The Bank has inaugurated its IFSC Banking Unit (IBU) at the Gujarat International Finance Tec-City (GIFT City), Gandhinagar, Gujarat. The Unit was inaugurated by Shri Kalyan Kumar, MD & CEO, marking a significant milestone in the Bank's journey towards building a global banking presence. The IBU will operate as the Bank's offshore banking arm, transacting in foreign currency and offering a comprehensive suite of International Banking services.

Business & Beyond

South Eastern Railway celebrates twelfth International Day of Yoga with enthusiasm

Kolkata: South Eastern Railway (SER) celebrated the 12th International Day of Yoga-2026 on 21.06.2026. The theme of this year is "Yoga for Healthy Ageing". Anil Kumar Jain, general manager, SER was the Chief Guest and inaugurated the Yoga Session by lighting lamp at BNR Indoor Sports Complex, SER Headquarters, Garden Reach. All principal head of the departments and other officers were present. Yoga sessions were organised at SER Headquarters wherein expert Yoga Instructors from "The Art of Living, Kolkata Centre".

Coal India Celebrates International Day of Yoga 2026

International Day of Yoga 2026 was celebrated through a series of activities, including the Y-Break Challenge, Yoga Quiz, Essay Competition, and online Yoga participation at Coal India's Corporate Headquarters in Kolkata. The celebrations culminated in a Yoga session on 21st June 2026, attended by Chairman B. Sairam, director (HR) Dr. Vinay Ranjan, director (marketing) Mukesh Choudhary, director (finance) Mukesh Agrawal, director (technical) Achyut Ghatak, director (business dev) Asheesh Kumar, CILOWS members, employees, and workers.

GREATER CHENNAI CORPORATION
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

SWM.C.No.A7/2628/2026 **E - TENDER NOTICE**

E-Tender is invited by Superintending Engineer (SWM) in Solid Waste Management Department.

Operation & Maintenance for Plastic Bailing Centre of 60MT capacity at Velu Street, Zone 2 for an value of **Rs.3.13 crores** and Operation & Maintenance for Plastic Bailing Centre of 70MT capacity at Tambaram - Velachery Main Road (Old Dumping Yard Premises) Pallikaranai in Zone 14 for an value of **Rs.3.51 crores** on contract basis for a period of one year.

Tender submission online last date	**16.07.2026 at 3.00 pm**
Tender opening date	**17.07.2026 at 4.00 pm**

Tenderer can view and download the details of E-Tender from website **https://tntenders.gov.in** and may participate in tender EMD Amount 1% should be pay online payment through E-tender portal details given in Tender Document

DIPR/ 2189 /TENDER/2026 **Superintending Engineer (SWM)**

DEMAND NOTICE

Whereas the Authorised Officer of Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Limited (acting in capacity as Trustee for the below mentioned Trusts) (hereinafter referred to as "ARCIL") is incorporated under the companies Act, 1956 and registered as an Asset Reconstruction Company with the Reserve Bank of India of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial assets and Enforcement of security interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as "the SARFAESI Act") and whereas the Borrower / Co-Borrowers as mentioned in Column No. 2 of the below mentioned chart obtained loan from the Original Lenders and whereas ARCIL has acquired the financial assets relating to the loan accounts mentioned herein below and whereas ARCIL being the secured creditor under the SARFAESI Act,and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(2) of the said Act read with Rule 2 of the security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued demand notice calling upon the Borrowers / Co-Borrowers as mentioned herein below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notices with further interest thereon within 60 days from the date of notice, but the notices could not be served upon some of them for various reasons.

Sl. No.	LAN. / Name of Original Lender / Demand Notice Date / Name of the Trust	Borrower / Co-Borrower Name / Guarantor	Total Outstanding in INR as per Demand Notice
1	**LAN No: IL10266897 Original Lender: IIFL HOME FINANCE LIMITED (IIFL HFL) Demand Notice Dt:18.05.2026 Name of the Trust: Arcil - Trust -2026C - 001**	**Sadhuhanumaiah Ravikumar / Lakshmamma**	**Rs 12,88,937.2 /- as on 05.03.2026**

Description of the Property: All that piece and parcel of property bearing of Northern Portion of Property no.291 /179, Site no.179, E-Swathu no.150300300300200290 situated at Kanasanavadi Village, Doddaballapura tq, Bangalore Karnataka.,Rural Measuring- 1350 square Feet and bounded as follows: **East:** Site no.146 belongs to Hanumaiah **West:** Road, **North:** Site no 180 belongs to Chikka Hanumaiah, **South:** Site no.178 belongs to Muniraju

Notice, is therefore given to the Borrowers / Co-Borrowers, as mentioned herein above, calling upon them to make payment of the total outstanding amount as shown herein above, against the respective Borrower / Co-Borrower, within 60 days of publication of this notice. . Failure to make payment of the total outstanding amount together with further interest by the respective Borrower / Co-Borrower, ARCIL shall be constrained to take u /s 13(4) for enforcement of security interest upon properties as described above, steps are also being taken for service of notice in other manners as prescribed under the Act and the rules made hereunder. You are put to notice that the said mortgage can be redeemed upon payment of the entire amount due together with costs, charges and expenses incurred by Arcil at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction or private treaty for transfer by way of sale, as detailed in Section 13(8) of the SARFAESI Act.
Take note that in terms of S- 13 (13) of the SARFAESI Act, you are hereby restrained from transferring and /or dealing with the Secured Properties in any manner by way of sale, lease or in any other manner.

Sd /-
Authorised Officer
Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Ltd.
(In capacity as Trustee)

Place : Bangalore
Date : 02.07.2026

Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Ltd.,
CIN - U65999MH2002PLC134884, Website : www.arcil.co.in
Registered Office : The Ruby, 10th Floor, 29 Senapati Bapat Marg, Dadar (West), Mumbai – 400 028. **Tel :** +91 2266581300
Branch Office : Vishishta Arcade No. 2243, 4th Floor, 23rd Cross, K. R. Road, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560070. Office No.: 08951936891.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby informed that, our client, intends to purchase the immovable property more fully described in the schedule hereunder from its present owner **SMT.ROHINI A. REDDY, W/o Sri.H.G.Manjunath,** Residing at No. 50, 10th Cross, Maruthi Nagar, Madiwala, Bangalore 560068.
Any persons, financial institutions having any sort of claim / rights / interest / charge on the below said property or any objections for the said sale of the property may file their objections in writing along with supporting documents, addressed to the undersigned within 7 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, it shall be construed that there are no claims of any sort over the below said property and our client shall be advised to proceed with the proposed transaction. Any claims thereafter shall not be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Residential Property bearing New No.43, PID Bearing No.66-80-43, Situated at 10th Cross, Maruthi Nagar, Madiwala, Bangalore Mahanagarapa Palike Ward No.66 of Bangalore, formerly Property bearing No.42&43/91/1B of Thavarakere Village, Corporation Old Division No.35 of Bangalore, measuring East to West 50+42/2 feet, and North to South 40 feet, in all measuring 1840 Square feet, along with RCC Roofed house built in thereon and bounded on the: **East by:** Property bearing No.44, **West by :** Private Property, **North by :** Road, **South by** : Private Property.

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IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL SENIOR CIVIL JUDGE, BANGALORE RURAL, AT BANGALORE
O.S.NO. 1666/2022

BETWEEN: Smt. Byramma & Others **PLAINTIFFS**
And : Smt. Munilaxmamma & Others **DEFENDANTS**

NOTICE TO THE DEFENDANT UNDER ORDER 5 RULE 20(1) OF CPC

1. Sri. Subbanna, S/o late Abburaju, Aged about 69 years, Residing at Hoody Rajapalya, Mahadeva pura, Bengaluru -560048. **...DEFENDANT NO. 7**
WHEREAS, the above-named Plaintiff has filed a suit for partition against the Defendants in O.S No. 1666/2022, over the suit schedule property mentioned herein below.
You are hereby summoned to appear before this Court in person, or by a pleader duly instructed, and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some person able to answer all such questions, on the **13th day of August 2026 at 11.00 'o' Clock** in the forenoon, to answer the claim; and further you are hereby directed to file on that day an Objection of your defence in the captioned case.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.No.114 (New No. 114/2), measuring 2 Acres, situated at Pattandur Agrahara Village, K.R Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District, and bounded on:-**North by :** Sadaramangala Village border, **South by :** Maliyappasons property, **East by :** Property of KIADB, **West by :** SY No. 112,
Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.
Given under my hand and the seal of the court, this 30th day of June 2026.

By Order of the Court
Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Senior Civil Judge Court
Bengaluru Rural District, Bengaluru
Advocate for Plaintiffs

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I AT BENGALURU
BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001
In The Matter Of O.A.NO. 230/2024

BETWEEN : PUNJAB NATIONAL BANK New Thippasandra Branch 2722, HAL-III Stage, Indiranagar Bangalore-560075 Represnted By Circle Sastra, Mg Road, Bengaluru-560001 **..... APPLICANT**
AND:
1. MR. VAIBHAV V MUDDEBIHALKAR AND OTHERS ......DEFENDANT

Summons/Notice To Defendants Under Section 23(VIII) Of Debts Recovery Tribunal (procedure) Rules, 1993 By Way of Paper Publication

Whereas the Applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of Rs. **40,43,697.80/-** together with current and future interest and other reliefs.
You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of this summons/notice or on **03/08/2026 at 10.30 A.M.** in person or by a Pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.
Given under my hand and the seal of this tribunal on this **02 day of January, 2026**

By Order Of The Tribunal, Registrar Debts Recovery Tribunal-i, Bangalore

To,
1. Mr. Balaji T
S/o Mr. Krishnamurthy
Partner Of Defendant No. 2 Firm
Major Residing At Flat No. 402, Comfort Castle Behind Ganesha Temple, New Thippasandra Main Road, Bangalore-560 076 **....Defendant No. 3**

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby informed that, our client, intends to purchase the immovable property more fully described in the schedule hereunder from its present owners **SRI. N. VENKATESH,** S/o Late Narayana Reddy, R/at Ballur Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District–562107, **SRI. B. K. MANJUNATHA,** alias **B. K. MANJU,** S/o Sri.N.Krishna Reddy, R/at No.327, Near Water Tank, Ballur Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District – 562107.
Any persons, financial institutions having any sort of claim / rights / interest / charge on the below said property or any objections for the said sale of the property may file their objections in writing along with supporting documents, addressed to the undersigned **within 7 days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, it shall be construed that there are no claims of any sort over the below said property and our client shall be advised to proceed with the proposed transaction. Any claims thereafter shall not be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ITEM NO.1: All that piece and parcel of an Agricultural Land bearing **Sy.No.25/3 measuring 1.33.00 (One Acre Thirty-Three Guntas), Situated at Ballur Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District** & bounded on : **East by :** Sy.No.25/4 and Sy. No.25/2, **West by :** Sy.No.25/1, **North by :** Sy.No.26 **South by :** Sy.No.1.
ITEM NO.2: All that piece and parcel of an Agricultural Land bearing **Sy. No. 25/2 measuring 2.02.00 (Two Acre Two Guntas), Situated at Ballur Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District** and bounded on: **East by :** Sy.No.209 and Sy. No.201, **West by :** Sy.No.25/3, **North by :** Sy. No.25/4 and Sy. No. 25/5, **South by :** Road & Sy.No.1 and 210,

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BEFORE THE DEBT RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II, FOURTH FLOOR, BSNL BUILDING, RAJ BHAVAN ROAD, BENGALURU - 560001
O.A. No. 1557/2023

BETWEEN: KARNATAKA BANK LIMITED, Jayanagar 9th Block Branch, Bangalore **.......APPLICANT**
AND: 1. M/s.VAISHNAVI ENTERPRISES., A Proprietorship Concern, Having its office at Sy.No.45/5, Chikkathoguru, E.F.Pillar No.184, Site No.6, Kshatriyanagara, Berate, OPP Cross, Hosur Main Road, Bengaluru-560 100, Represented by its proprietor, Mrs.SHOBHA DEVI. G.P.
2. Mrs. SHOBHA DEVI. G.P., Aged about 54 years, W/o.Shankarababu B.S., D/o.Parameshwaraiah.G., C/o.Narayana Reddy, Residing at Building near Sriram Temple, Devarachikkanahalli BG Road., Bengaluru-560 076. **......DEFENDANTS**

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993.

WHEREAS the Applicant has instituted an Application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts and Bankruptcy Act, 1993 against you for the recovery of a sum of **Rs.36,96,486.10/- (Rupees Thirty-Six Lakhs Ninety-Six Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-Six and paisa ten only)** together with the agreed rate of interest at the rate of 19.22% p.a compounded monthly with costs and other reliefs. You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of this publication or **on 03/08/2026 at 10.30 a.m.** in the forenoon in person or by a pleader/Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.
Take notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.
Given under my hand and seal on this 16th day of June, 2026.

By Order Of The Tribunal, Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal-II Bangalore

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JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK
(A Scheduled Commercial Bank)

Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 &12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangala Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

E-AUCTION NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR SALE THROUGH E-AUCTION UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT (SARFAESI ACT) 2002, READ WITH PROVISO RULE 8(6) & 9 OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002.

The undersigned as authorised officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** has **taken possession** of the following property in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(4) of the SARFAESI ACT. The Borrower in particular and public at large are informed that online auction (e-auction)of the mortgage property in the below mentioned account for realisation of dues of the Bank will be held on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS "** and **"AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"** on the date as prescribed as here under.

Sr. No.	Loan Account Number	Name of Original Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor	Date of 13-2 Notice	Date of Possession	Present Outstanding balance as on 29.06.2026	Date & Time of Inspection of the property	Reserve Price in INR	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) in INR	Date and Time of E-Auction	Last Date Time & Place for submission of Bid
1	34019420000251 & 34019430001014	1) Mr. Ramesha S, 2) Mr. Sampangi O	12-11-2025	23-01-2026	Rs.44,93,918.78 (Rupees Forty Four Lakh Ninety Three Thousand Nine Hundred Eighteen and Seventy Eight Paisa Only)	27.07.2026 Time: 09:30 AM to 05:00 PM	Rs.47,54,000/- (Rupees Forty Seven Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand Only)	Rs.4,75,400/- (Rupees Four Lakh Seventy Five Thousand Four Hundred Only)	10.08.2026 @ 02:00 PM	07.08.2026, Till 5.00 PM Jana Small Finance Bank Ltd., The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071

Details of Secured Assets: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.52, Khatha No.94/94/52 measuring East to West 29.5 ft. and North to South 39 ft. totally measuring 1150 Sq.ft, situated at Tharahunase Village, Bettahalasuru Grama Panchayath, Jala Hobali, Bangalore North Taluk and **Bounded on: East by:** Road, **West by:** Property belonging to Saraswathi, **North by:** Property belonging to Beedi Muniyappa, **South by:** Others Property.

The properties are being held on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" & "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"** and the E-Auction will be conducted **'On Line'**. The auction will be conducted through the Bank's approved service provider **M/s. Auctionbazaar.com** at the web portal **contact@auctionbazaar.com, support@auctionbazaar.com, eauctions@auctionbazaar.com.** For more information and For details, help, procedure and online training on e-auction, prospective bidders may contact **M/s. Auctionbazaar.com; Contact Auctionbazaar Contact Number: 91 8370969696/ +91 7997043999. Email id: contact@auctionbazaar.com, support@auctionbazaar.com.** For further details on terms and conditions to take part in e-auction proceedings and any for any query relating to property please contact **Jana Small Finance Bank authorized officers Mr. Umesh (Mob. No.8050149617), Mr. Kaushik B (Mob. No.7019949040) & Mr. Ranjan Naik (Mob. No.6362952653).** To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorised Officer, there are no encumbrances on the properties. However the intending bidders should make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances, title of property put on prior to submitting their bid. No conditional bid will be accepted. This is also a notice to the above named Borrowers/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors about e-auction scheduled for the mortgaged properties. The Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of auction, failing which the property will be sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date: 01.07.2026, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer, Jana Small Finance Bank Limited**

Canara Bank
A Government of India Undertaking

ARM Branch– II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No.86, M G Road, Bengaluru-560001.
Telephone numbers : 080-25310099, 080-25310181 – e-mail – cb6298@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)
E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the **ARM Branch II, Bangalore of Canara Bank,** the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of will be sold on **22.07.2026 from 01.00 PM to 03.00 PM "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of outstanding dues from below mentioned Borrowers. The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit is mentioned below. **(Amount in Lakhs)**

Sl. No.	Borrower and Guarantor Name/ Description of the movable / immovable assets:	Total Liabilities as per Sale Notice	Description of the immovable assets:	Auction Date & Time	Reserve Price & EMD	Incremental value at the Bid
1	**(1) Ms. Aishwaryagiri Constructions Pvt Ltd,** No.1/4, Unit No. F-2,2nd Floor, 10th Cross, 4th Main Rd, M C Layout, Bengaluru-560040, **Also At: Ms. Aishwaryagiri Constructions Pvt Ltd,** No.236, EWS, 2nd Stage, 2nd Main, 5th Cross, KHB Colony, Basaveshwarnagar, Bangalore-560079, **(2) G.Jayaramaiah** S/o Giriyappa, No 236, 5th Cross, 2nd Stage, 2nd Main, K.H.B.Colony, Basaveswara Nagar, Bengaluru-560079 **(3) Mr.Shivakumar S/o Giriyappa,** No. 236, 5th Cross, 2nd Stage, 2nd Main, K.H.B.Colony, Basaveswara Nagar, Bengaluru-560079, **Also At: Mr.Shivakumar** S/o Giriyappa, No. 147, 4th Cross, Jothinagar, Chandra Layoutbangalore-560072.	**Rs. 43,36,56,858.37 (Rupees Forty Three Crore Thirty Six Lakhs Fifty Six Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty Eight and Thirty Seven Paisa only) as on 29.06.2026 plus further interest thereon**	****Vacant site no 191,199,200,201,202,203,243,269,255,286,292,293, 295,296,297,298,299,300,301,302,303, 304 (Total 22 sites) located at Sunnagatta Kasaba Hobli,Neelasandra,Channapatna Taluk, Ramanagar Dist.	**22.07.2026 from 01.00 PM. to 03.00 PM**	**Rs. 8,04,00,000.00 EMD: Rs.80,40,000.00**	**Rs. 25,000/-**
			(1) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 191, formed in Sy No 125/1,124/3 and 124/2 Kaneshumari No.304/191 situated at Sunnaghatta Viilage, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 60 ft and North South 40 ft and bounded as follows: East by : Site No.157, West by : Property of Subhadra & Gouthamchand, North by: Site No.190, South by: Site No.192		**Rs. 39,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 3,90,000.00**	
			(2) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 199, formed in Sy No 125/1,124/3 and 124/2 Kaneshumari No.304/199 situated at Sunnaghatta Village, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 60 ft and North South 40 ft and bounded as follows:East by : 20 ft. Road, West by : Property of Subhadra & Gouthamchand, North by: Site No.198, South by: Site No.200		**Rs. 41,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 4,10,000.00**	
			(3) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 200, formed in Sy No 125/1,124/3 and 124/2 Kaneshumari No.304/200 situated at Sunnaghatta Village, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 60 ft and North South 40 ft and bounded as follows: East by : 20 ft. Road, West by : Property of Subhadra & Gouthamchand, North by: Site No.199, South by: Site No.201		**Rs. 41,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 4,10,000.00**	
			(4) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 201, formed in Sy No 125/1,124/3 and 124/2 Kaneshumari No.304/201 situated at Sunnaghatta Village, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 60 ft and North South 60 ft and bounded as follows:East by : 20 ft. Road, West by : Property of Subhadra & GouthamchandNorth by: Site No.200, South by: 20 ft. Road		**Rs. 58,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 5,80,000.00**	
			(5) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 202, Kaneshumari No.304/202 situated at Sunnaghatta Village, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 27 ft and North South 60 ft and bounded as follows: East by : Property of Subhadra & Gouthamchand, West by : Road, North by: Site No.203, South by: Property of Subhadra & Gouthamchand		**Rs. 26,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 2,60,000.00**	
			(6) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 203, Kaneshumari No.304/202 situated at Sunnaghatta Village, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 27 ft and North South 60 ft and bounded as follows: East by : Property of Subhadra & Gouthamchand, West by : Road, North by: Site No.204, South by: Site No.203.		**Rs. 21,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 2,10,000.00**	
			(7) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 243, formed in Sy No 125/1,124/3 and 124/2 Kaneshumari No.304/243 situated at Sunnaghatta Village, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 40 ft and North South 30 ft and bounded as follows: East by : Site No. 242, West by : 20 ft. Road, North by: Site No.204, South by: Remaining portion of property.		**Rs. 19,50,000.00 EMD: Rs. 1,95,000.00**	
			(8) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 269, formed in Sy No 125/1,124/3 and 124/2 Kaneshumari No.304/243 situated at Sunnaghatta Village, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 40 ft and North South 30 ft and bounded as follows: East by : Site No. 268, West by : Site No.270, North by: Site No.272, South by: Road.		**Rs. 20,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 2,00,000.00**	
			(9) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 255, formed in Sy No 125/1,124/3 and 124/2 Kaneshumari No.304/255 situated at Sunnaghatta Village, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 60 ft and North South 40 ft and bounded as follows:East by : 20 ft. Road, West by : Property of Subhadra and Gouthamchand, North by: Site No.254, South by: Site No. 256		**Rs. 39,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 3,90,000.00**	
			(10) All that piece and parcel of immovable property land bearing Plot No. 286, formed in Sy No 124/2 Kaneshumari No.305/286 situated at Sunnaghatta Village, Neelasandra Grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara Dist. measuring East West 24 ft and North South (52+55)/2 ft and bounded as follows:East by : Site No. 22, West by : Site no.287, North by: Property of Jayaramu and sites of Tahsildar Office, South by: Road.		**Rs. 21,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 2,10,000.00**	
			(11) All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing plot no.292, formed in Sy No 124/2 Kaneshumari no 305/292 situated at Sunnaghatta village, Neelasandra grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara District measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet bounded as follows East by: Site no 291,West by: Site no 293, North by: Property of Jayaramu and Sites of Tahsildar Office, South by: Road.		**Rs. 41,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 4,10,000.00**	
			(12) All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing plot no.293, formed in Sy No 124/2 Kaneshumari no 305/293 situated at unnaghatta village,Neelasandra grama panchayat,Kasabaa Hobli,Channapattana Taluk,Ramanagara District measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet bounded as follows East by: Site no 292, West by: Site no 294, North by: Property of Jayaramu and Sites Tahsildar Office, South by: Road.		**Rs. 41,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 4,10,000.00**	
			(13) All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing plot no.295, formed in Sy No 124/2 Kaneshumari no 305/295 at Sunnaghatta village,Neelasandra grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara District measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet bounded as follows East by: Site no 294,West by: Site no 296, North by: Property of Jayaramu , South by: Road		**Rs. 41,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 4,10,000.00**	
			(14) All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing plot no.296, formed in Sy No 124/2, Kaneshumari no 305/296 situated at Sunnaghatta village, Neelasandra grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara District measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet bounded as followsEast by: Site no 295, West by: Site no 297, North by: Property of Jayaramu , South by: Road		**Rs. 41,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 4,10,000.00**	
			(15) All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing plot no.297, formed in Sy No 124/2 Kaneshumari no 305/297 situated at Sunnaghatta village, Neelasandra grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara District measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet bounded as followsEast by: Site no 296, West by: Site no 298, North by: Property of Jayaramu , South by: Road		**Rs. 41,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 4,10,000.00**	
			(16) All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing plot no.298, formed in Sy No 124/2 Kaneshumari no 305/298 situated at Sunnaghatta village,Neelasandra grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara District measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet bounded as followsEast by: Site no 297, West by: Site no 299, North by: Property of Jayaramu , South by: Road.		**Rs. 41,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 4,10,000.00**	
			(17) All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing plot no.299, formed in Sy No 124/2 Kaneshumari no 305/299 situated at Sunnaghatta village, Neelasandra grama panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara District measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet bounded as followsEast by: Site no 298, West by: Site no 300, North by: Property of Jayaramu , South by: Road.		**Rs. 41,00,000.00 EMD: Rs. 4,10,000.00**	
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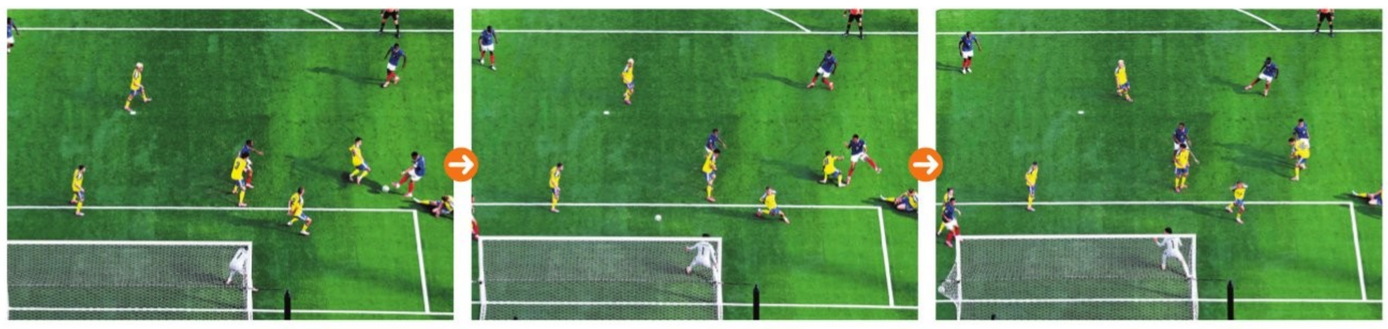
FIFA GOAL American RUSH!

With Mbappe, Dembele & Olise making France strong contenders, **Swaroop Swaminathan** takes a look at how this talented team is primed to add a third star on their jersey

THE THREE MUSKETEERS



(TOP) Frame by frame depiction of France's Kylian Mbappe scoring his team's first goal against Sweden; (Below) Head coach Didier Deschamps celebrating with Mbappe | AFP

AFTER Kylian Mbappe's rise to superstardom as a teen at the 2018 World Cup cemented his place in French folklore, there was an unofficial tweak to the country's motto — 'Liberte, Egalite, Mbappe'. They may as well change it again to capture the current mood.

'Olise, Dembele, Mbappe'.

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After Bradley Barcola stormed into the Swedish box in the 82nd minute, the opponents just about managed to repel the effort thanks to Jacob Zetterstrom, one of the most overworked men in all of NYNJ on Tuesday. At that exact moment, Les Bleus had four men either in or just outside the box looking to pounce. Mbappe (42 goals and seven assists for club last season), Bradley Barcola (13 goals and seven assists), Michael Olise (22 goals and 31 assists for club) and Desire Doue (13 goals and 11 assists). The man who had just been subbed, Ousmane Dembele (20 goals and 11 assists), is of course the current holder of Ballon d'Or. Reducing this French team to numbers is, frankly, doing them a disservice, but it seems like an ideal place to start after one of the best performances at the World Cup so far. It was thrilling, like football from the dream factory. Sweden didn't do much wrong, but the truth is they will consider themselves lucky to have only shipped three. When France began their campaign at the same Stadium last month, the first 45 minutes brought a few questions. Would it be the same old France, struggling to integrate all of these match-winners into the same XI? Would it be the same France, who had endured a deeply disappointing Euros in 2024? How would coach Didier Deschamps set his team up to accentuate their strengths? Would he finally release the handbrake or would he continue to sacrifice flair at the altar of control?

MATCH STATS

FRANCE		SWEDEN
61	POSSESSION	39
3	Goals	0
3.24	xG	0.7
25	Total shots	8
12	Shots on target	3
7	Big chances	1

Accurate passes: 484 | 278

That initial 45 minutes against Senegal aside, this French team have played a different sport in the US this summer. The breathtaking movement, the fluid passing and interchanges and the sheer hedonism on display... these things have seldom been on show by a national team in a global event in the 21st century. Their patterns were from a higher plane, the way they moved the ball and played with gumption... watching on, it was hard not to fall in love with the game again.

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When France won the whole thing in 2018, it signalled the dawn of a new age. Paris was finally recognised as the football factory of the world but there was something prosaic about their football. Sure, Mbappe was breaking records set by Pele while Antoine Griezmann and Paul Pogba elevated the team. However, there was too much emphasis on control. Domenech's first port of call was always shape and discipline, like a substitute teacher who asked his students to read up on calculus rather than taking them to the nearby park. Their scores from that tournament read 2-1 (opener against Australia), 1-0 (Peru), 0-0 (Denmark), 4-3 (Argentina; Round of 16), 2-0 (Uruguay; QF), 1-0 (Belgium; SF) and 4-2 (Croatia; F). Fourteen goals across an entire campaign. They already have 13 in this edition.

Too many times, they erred on the side of caution and relied on individual brilliance from the likes of a then-teenage Mbappe to break open games. At the Euros in 2024, they had hit nadir in terms of invention and imagination in the final third. It reflected in the overall results — 1-0 (Austria; group stage), 0-0 (Netherlands; group stage), 1-1 (Poland; group stage), 1-0 (Belgium; Round of 16), 0-0 (Portugal; win on penalties in QF) and 1-2 (Spain; SF). It was like watching a Michelin-star chef preparing lettuce sandwiches when he had access to caviar. How, then, to marry talent with execution? This was the main question dominating Deschamps' thought process, World Cup winner as a player in 1998, when he announced that he would step down following the 2026 event. The answer was just to release the handbrake and have fun.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

ROCK YOU LIKE A HARRY KANE

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE

FOR over 60 minutes, the England players appeared to be in a trance. For more than one hour, DR Congo were having the time of their lives. At a heaving Atlanta Stadium filled with travelling England fans, the African nation, who were known by a different name the last and only time they had featured at the World Cup (Zaire), played like they believed. Many wondered how England would cope with the heat, altitude and partisan energy of the Azteca in their last 16 encounter against Mexico. Congo basically said 'hang on, they still have to play us'.

And, boy, they gave an almighty fright after scoring the opening goal in the 7th minute through Brian Cipenga. They almost doubled the lead before half-time. Congo, who had held Portugal to a 1-1 draw in the group stages, have loads of Premier League players in their ranks, including right-back Aaron Wan-Bissak. The others and he were 15 minutes away from greatness before their dreams were snatched away.

When you have Harry Kane in your ranks, you know you are always in with a chance as long as the ball is in the box. One of the best pure No. 9s at this World Cup not named Erling Haaland, Kane, who scored 61 goals for Bayern Munich last season, continues to drag his England colleagues to his level. Twice in 11 minutes after the second hydration break, he burst into life. His winner, in the 86th minute, was an instant classic. After Anthony Gordon showed the kind of imagination severely lacking in central areas, he set Kane free on the edge of the box. The striker received it and lashed it home, the kind of finish he has scored many times for club and country over the last decade. It was all in one smooth motion, a goal of the highest quality. Apart from Kane, the one England player who did manage to earn some goodwill was Gordon who created both goals for the former Spurs forward. It proved to be the difference in the end.

After the 1966 final, England had endured 22 winless games after conceding first (five draws and 17 losses). Just when it seemed like that run was about to stretch, captain Kane answered the call.

MATCH STATS

ENGLAND		DR CONGO
60	POSSESSION	40
2	Goals	1
2.04	xG	0.8
16	Total shots	7
7	Shots on target	2
7	Big chances	1

Accurate passes: 468 | 299

Harry Kane celebrates his goal against DR Congo on Wednesday | AP

PROBABLE LINE-UPS

AUSTRIA: Schlager (1); Posch (5), Lienhart (15), Alaba (8), Mwene (16); Seiwald (6), Schlager (4), Schmid (18), Laimer (20), Sabitzer (9); Kalajdzic.

SPAIN: Simon (23); Llorente (5), Cubarsi (22), Laporte (14), Cucurella (24); Olomo (10), Rodri (16), Pedri (20); Yamal (19), Oyarzabal (21), Ferran (7).

LA ROJA SEEK SPARK

Spain will be searching for some fluency but Austria may prove to be tricky opponents. A look...

EYES ON YAMAL

Most of the top stars have lit up the stage but Lamine Yamal is still waiting for his big life-off. Of course he did have a late season injury and that has hampered his preparation.

AUSTRIA'S PRESS

The European team are one of the more dogmatic sides in the tournament with their commitment to press. Pressing a Spain team, though, will have its own challenges.

Today's match

Spain vs Austria @ Los Angeles Stadium | 12:30 AM*

OTHER MATCH

MANZAMBI IN FOCUS

Switzerland's game against Algeria promises to be very intriguing. This is another chance for Johan Manzambi to sparkle. Already one of the best young players of the tournament, the attacker can add to his portfolio.

Switzerland vs Algeria @ BC Place Vancouver | 8:30 AM*

*IST Friday

Live on United8 Sports & ZEE5

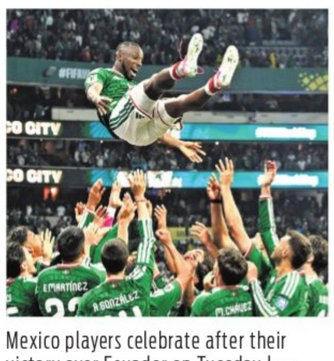
Mexico end 40-year wait, enter Rd of 16

CARLOS RODRIGUEZ @ Mexico City

THE 40-year wait is over. Mexicans had learned to live with defeats in the knockout stages of the World Cup. On seven occasions, El Tri fans were left heartbroken at this stage.

Not anymore. Julian Quinones and Raul Jimenez scored within a nine-minute span in the first half and Mexico defeated Ecuador 2-0 on Tuesday night to break a four-decade drought in the knockout stage and progress to the Round of 16. Quinones opened the scoring in the 22nd minute and Jimenez added a goal in the 31st for the Mexicans, who had not won a knockout-stage match since 1986. Mexico coach Javier Aguirre was one of the starting midfielders in that '86 team. "It means a lot to me because I am one of those who could not progress in the knockout stage," Aguirre said. *AP*

MEXICO vs ECUADOR



Mexico players celebrate after their victory over Ecuador on Tuesday | AP

Portugal face Croatia battle

CRISTIANO RONALDO & CO HAVE COME IN FOR A LOT OF CRITICISM AND CROATIA WILL KNOW THEY HAVE THE TOOLS TO BEAT PORTUGAL. A LOOK...

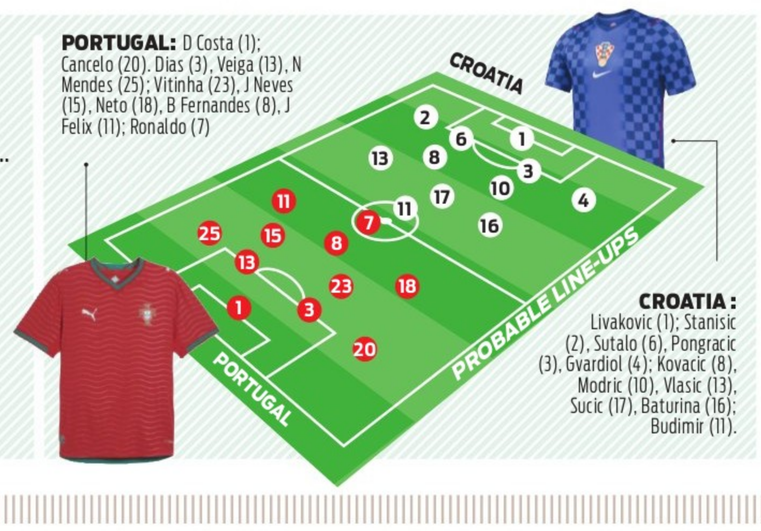
MODRIC & RONALDO

Luka Modric and Cristiano Ronaldo have struggled to defy father time. The assumption when they started the tournament, though, was there would be enough magic for one final hurrah. The stage is set.

MIDFIELD BATTLE

Croatia's Martin Baturina has already made a mark & his battle against Bruno Fernandes may decide the tie. They play in different areas of the pitch but whoever has the better game could influence the game.

Live Action Portugal vs Croatia @ Toronto Stadium | 4:30 AM* | *IST Friday | **LIVE on Unite8 Sports and Zee5**



PROBABLE LINE-UPS

PORTUGAL: D Costa (1); Cancelo (20). Dias (3), Veiga (13), N Mendes (25); Vitinha (23), J Neves (15), Neto (18), B Fernandes (8), J Felix (11); Ronaldo (7)

CROATIA: Livakovic (1); Stanisic (2), Sutalo (6), Pongracic (3), Gvardiol (4); Kovacic (8), Modric (10), Vlasic (13), Sucic (17), Baturina (16); Budimir (11).

QUICK PASSES

Koeman quits as Dutch coach

LOS ANGELES: Netherlands coach Ronald Koeman said he was stepping down after his team were knocked out by Morocco in the last 32. The Netherlands had been tipped to make a run deep into the tournament but Morocco beat them 3-2 in a penalty shootout after the match in Monterrey on Monday finished 1-1 at the end of extra time. They were leading 1-0, but they conceded an equalizer deep in stoppage time.

Beccacece steps down post exit

MEXICO CITY: Sebastian Beccacece has stepped down as coach of Ecuador following World Cup elimination. The 45-year-old Argentine confirmed it after Tuesday night's 2-0 defeat to host Mexico. Beccacece was in charge for two years. He led Ecuador, which was making its fifth World Cup appearance, to the knockout round for just the second time after a memorable win over Germany in the group stage.

Shreyas, Abhishek fifties help India post 189/7

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chennai

VAIBHAV Sooryavanshi's wait for India cap continues as India stuck with the same top five for the first T20I against England in Durham on Wednesday.

Leading up to the match, all eyes were on whether the 15-year-old will get to make his debut, especially after the historic 0-2 series loss against Ireland last week. However, he had to wait for his chance with Sanju Samson and Abhishek Sharma walking out to bat after India won the toss. The start, however, was not ideal with Samson getting out early. Soon Ishan Kishan too was back in the dressing room after an unfortunate run out. When it looked like India were in trouble, Abhishek got them back on track with a quickfire half-century in 20 balls. Though he got out for a 24-ball 59, skipper Shreyas Iyer held the innings together with a 47-ball 68 before Shivam Dube gave the final push(42 from 21 balls). India posted 189/7 in 20 overs before rain stopped play.

Abhishek Sharma in action | BCCI

Brief scores (at the time of going to print): India 189/7 in 20 ovs (Abhishek 59, Shreyas 68, Dube 42 n.o; Mahmood 3/33) vs England.

Sinner enters third round, Andreeva knocked out

AGENCIES @ London

JANNIK Sinner moved into the Wimbledon third round as the defending champ held his nerve in a pair of tie-breaks to beat Portugal's Nuno Borges. Once again, Sinner wasn't at his best but the World No 1 did just enough to advance 7-6 (4), 7-6 (2), 6-4 on Centre Court.

The 24-year-old Italian had narrowly avoided an embarrassing first-round exit.

Later, French Open champion (women's singles) Mirra Andreeva suffered a shock defeat (4-6, 7-5, 6-4) against Barbora Krejcikova in Round 2. World No 1 Aryna Sabalenka battled through a tough second set against American McCartney Kessler to reach the third round. She will face former French Open winner Jelena Ostapenko next.

Aryna Sabalenka hits a return against USA's McCartney Kessler | AFP

Serena's doubles bid in doubt

Serena Williams could be forced to pull out of the doubles event after the American legend suffered a knee injury in her first-round singles defeat. Williams, playing her first singles match in four years, was beaten by Australia's Maya Joint in a three-set epic on Centre Court late on Tuesday evening.

Select results (Rd 2): Men: Sinner (ITA x1) bt Borges (POR) 7-6 (4), 7-6 (2), 6-4; Paul (USA x21) bt Kwon Soon-woo (KOR) 6-3, 7-6 (4), 6-2; Fokina (ESP x22) bt Marozsan (HUN) 6-3, 6-0, 6-3; Rinderknech (FRA x25) bt Damm (USA) 6-4, 7-6 (1), 6-3. **Women:** Osaka (JPN x14) bt Gasanova (RUS) 6-3, 6-2; Muchova (CZE x10) bt Zhang (CHN) 6-3, 6-2; Sawangkaew (THA) bt Parks (USA) 7-5, 6-0; Gauff (USA x7) bt Sierra (ARG) 6-3, 3-6, 7-6 (10/7).

EXPRESS READ

Brar, Suthar set to bolster India A line up

GALLE: Rising stars Gurnoor Brar and Manav Suthar are expected to get a look-in in the India A playing eleven when they take on Sri Lanka A in the second 'Test' starting here on Thursday. The first four-day 'Test' ended in a draw.

Durand Cup to start from July 25 in Kolkata

KOLKATA: The Durand Cup will feature 24 teams, including seven debutants, with matches to be played across five cities from July 25 to August 23. The tournament begins in Kolkata before it is played in Ranchi, Imphal, Shillong and Guwahati.

Pragg defeats Keymer, Gukesh also wins in GCT

ZAGREB: GM R Praggnanandhaa produced an aggressive game to defeat top seed Vincent Keymer, starting his campaign on a positive note in the Zagreb leg of the Grand Chess Tour here.After losing to Vachier-Lagreve, D Gukesh beat Ivan Saric of Croatia.

Achutaditya and Arjun make first-round exit

MARKHAM (CANADA): India's men's doubles pair of Achutaditya Rao Doddavarapu and Pochana Arjun suffered a first round exit from the Canada Open badminton meet. The Indian duo went down 9-21, 7-21 to fifth-seeded Kevin Lee and Ty Alexander Lindeman.

Sumit opens up about struggles of last 2 years

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN

THERE was a point in Sumit Nagal's life in the recent past when he stopped talking to friends and family. The injuries had taken a toll, earnings had stopped and the ranking was in freefall.

"There were days... weeks when I wasn't talking to anybody," he said during a select interaction. "I had cut myself off from friends and family. It wasn't easy, I kept things to myself." He said 'I was in a cave than being out there'.

It was the point when India's No. 1 singles tennis player was threatening to fall outside the world's top 300 in 2025. Honestly, he accepts, it wasn't a great time in his life, both on and off the court. "I didn't keep myself motivated," he said. "I had a lot of bad thoughts."

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Monsoon meanderings

View of a river

Chai

From Bengaluru to Mangaluru and onwards to Kapu, chasing the monsoon across Karnataka is the sort of journey that deserves a place on every traveller's bucket list...

Western Ghats

MONSOON TIPS

- Avoid sea swimming. The sea is rough and a red alert is in place.
- Drive carefully through ghats. Roads can be slippery.
- Carry rain gear and keep essentials dry.
- Watch out for landslides and sudden cloudbursts.
- Keep your fuel tank full.
- Carry cash as some places may not accept cards.

ANSHUMAN U SHASTRY

THE southwest monsoon does not visit Karnataka; it reclaims it. To experience its true scale, we embarked on a journey through the scenic *ghats* of Karnataka - Shiradi and Charmadi. The destination was Kapu, about 18 kms south of Udupi, a peaceful town with a heavenly seafront and a century-old lighthouse.

Bengaluru, with its slate-grey skies, whispers promises of rain and flood through its gulmohar trees. But our hearts were yearning for adventure. With the desire to drive through the evergreen forests in the storm, our Western Ghats trip began before dawn at 3 am from Bengaluru. Considering the mid-week low traffic on National Highway 75, we calculated that by sunrise, we would traverse Sakaleshpura, the gateway to the Western Ghats. After a three-hour non-stop journey to Sakaleshpura, we made a quick detour from the bypass into the town for breakfast before hitting the Shiradi to Mangaluru stretch. We rolled down the windows — the air was fresher and colder. The fog was getting thicker by the minute. Most of the town was still asleep — people washing store fronts, dogs still curled up trying to stay warm. We stopped at Hotel Srinivasa, beside the Sakaleshpura taluk panchayat office, for steaming, fluffy *idlis*, crispy *vadas* dipped in a thick and sweet *sambar* and piping hot tea.

Idli Vada

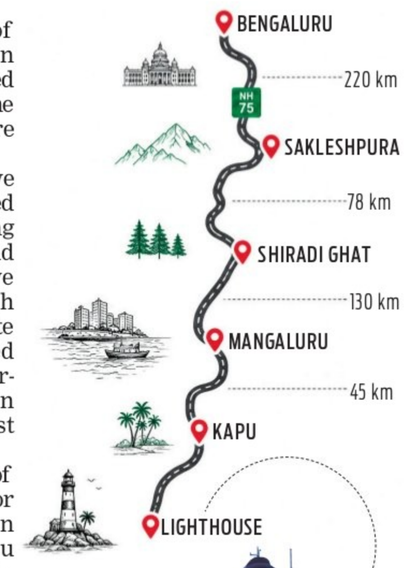
If you start your journey from Bengaluru later in the day and want to break the journey, Sakaleshpura has a few nice options. Badami Lodge, opposite the town police station, offers simple non-AC rooms at around *₹1,600* a night, while more expensive options like Neervana Resort for *₹5,500* and more fancy resorts like Yohstay are priced at *₹17,000 a night*.

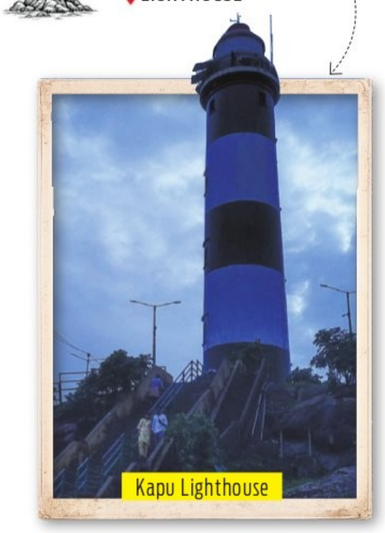
By 7 am, we were back on the road. Though the sunrise was scheduled for 6.30 am, the rays were eclipsed by the clouds. We entered the Shiradi Ghat section, a eleven-kilometre ribbon of wet asphalt carved into the spine of the hills here. Here, the monsoon abandons all subtlety. We experienced the first cloudburst. The valley came alive again. Heavy drops of rain were drumming the roof of our car.

Mangaluru was a two hour drive from here. The air thickened, turned warm and distinctly salty. Driving through the bustling port roads and navigating between the massive trucks, we reached Shetty Lunch Home in Mangaluru for a fiery plate of spicy-tangy *Pulimunchi* cooked with local, seasonal fish. We also ordered steaming hot *naans*, chicken *keema* and egg *ghee* roast and it cost us about *₹500* per person.

Kapu is about 45 minutes north of Mangaluru. An old town, popular for its panoramic view of the Arabian Sea. The iconic 27-metre Kapu Lighthouse, that defines the town, stands on a massive outcrop of black basalt rock. It was constructed in 1901 by the British to assist navigation along the coastline. We went to the beach in Kapu before we even checked in. The waves were larger than usual, smashing into the boulders and spitting sea spray into the air. The *Government of India* has issued a red alert as the sea is rough because of the monsoon. The entire stretch of the Indian west coast is closed to the public for a swim. But, one can still sit along the coast on the beach and listen to the Arabian Sea roar.

The lighthouse is open from 4.30 pm to 6.30 pm with an entry fee of *₹10*. There are stalls for quick eats, but it is best to avoid any temptation as they are a little overpriced. There are nice restaurants and hotels in the town and along the highway. Hotel Mandara offers a vegetarian restaurant, a separate coastal restaurant with a bar; and accommodation too. It is 2 kms from the beach and 1 km from the town. We checked into Lighthouse Resort near the beach and decided to call it a day. It costs *₹2,000* for a two-bed room, *₹4,000* for a family room and is pet-friendly. There are beachside resorts like Villa Vara and The Blue Matsya nearby too and are *₹15,000* onwards per night.





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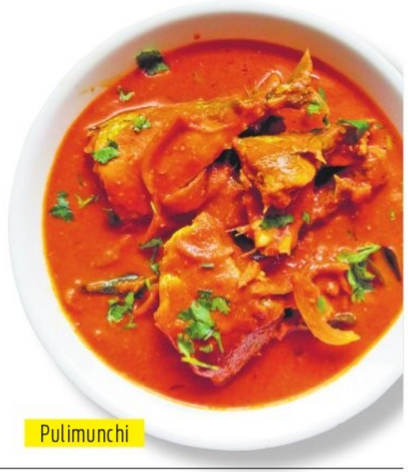

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PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my clients namely **Sri. Basavaraju S/o Late. Chikkathimmarayappa,** aged about 59years, R/at:- Ward No. 10, Neeleri, Devanahalli Town, Bengaluru Rural District and others have filed the above petition for the death certificate **Late.Chikathimmarayappa S/o Late.Dodda Hanumantharayappa who died on 20.04.1978** at Ward No.10, Neeleri, Devanahalli Town, Bengaluru Rural District. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble Principal Civil Judge and JMFC at Devanahalli and the date of hearing **on 17/7/2026 at 11.00 A.M. in C.Mis No. 366/2026.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri R. Chandrappa, Advocate

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client/s intends to purchase of the Schedule Property from **1) Sri. Ramesh R, 2) Smt. Ranjitha Jayaramappa, W/o. Late. Nagaraj R and 3) Smt. Akshitha T, W/o. Late. Srinivas Ramakrishna R.**

Any person having any objection regarding the said sale transaction, may contact the undersigned advocate with relevant documents within **07 days** from the date of this publication failing which it shall be deemed that there is no objection of any nature and my client will complete the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the Piece and parcel of the Agricultural Land bearing **Survey No.181**, measuring **0-10 Guntas** and 0-01 Gunta of Karab land, Situated at Haragadde Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore and bounded on: East by: Anekal- Jigani Main Road, West by: Land in Sy. No. 179, North by: Land in Sy. No.179 and 180, South by: Land of Veena Devi, Sudha Devi and Chandrashekar.

Date: 01.07.2026 **Place: Bengaluru**

Sd/- H.K. SRINIVASA, Advocate,
No.23, 1st floor,5th Main, Hebbal,
Bangalore-560024. Mob: 9900276729
E-Mail: seenu.hk@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

THIS NOTICE IS HEREBY given that my clients have agreed to purchase the property more particularly mentioned in the schedule written hereunder from **Mr.M. Chandrashekar S/O Mr. Mallesha Char C.K** aged about 49 years.

All persons having any share, right, title, benefit, interest, claim, objections & demands in respect of the property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, exchange, assignment, mortgage, charge, gift, trust, lien, lease and license, tenancy, sub-tenancy, leave and license, caretaker basis, possession, easement, encumbrance, or otherwise, or through any agreement, conveyance, contract, arrangement, devise, writing whatsoever hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned within **14 days** from the date of publication hereof, failing which or as otherwise the sale of the said property shall be completed without any reference or regard to any such claim or interest which shall be deemed to have been waived.

SCHEDULE-A

(Description of the Schedule 'A' Property)

All that piece and parcel of undeveloped immovable property bearing **Survey No. 4** measuring **02 Acres 20 Guntas,** situated at **Chikkajala Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore Urban District** and bounded on the:

East by :Rain water drain, West by : Fort, North by : Land bearing Survey No. 5, South by : Lands bearing Survey No. 3/1 and Survey No. 3/2

SCHEDULE-B

(Description of the Site)

All that piece and parcel of immoveable property bearing **Site No. 18** bearing Property Id. 150200203101120823, Khata No. 2555/4/18, in the Project FORTJALA, formed in the Schedule A Property, measuring East to West **15.24 Mtrs** and North to South **9.14 Mtrs,** totally measuring **139.29 Sqmts** square meters and bounded as follows :

On the East by: 12M Road, On the West by : Site No. 31, On the North by: Site No. 17, On the South by: Site No. 19.

Sd/-
G.R. LAKSHMIPATHI REDDY,
M.A., LL.B.,
ADVOCATE
Office: No. 39/2, 5th Floor,
ASVNV Bhavan,K.G. Road,
BENGALURU - 560 009
Bangalore **Date : 01.07.2026**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the Public that the Original Gift deed dated 19.02.2004 registered as Doc No.BAS-1-23544/2003-04, in Book no. 1, CD No. BASD16, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Banglore South Taluk, with respect to Sy No. 11, measuring 1 acre 24 gutas, has been laminated.

All persons are hereby informed not to deal or carry out any transaction with anyone on the basis of any other copies of sale deed claiming as original document. On behalf of the client M/s AB & T Life Style Spaces LLP, represented by its designated Partner Sri. D. Abhishek Reddy the undersigned Advocate hereby invites claims or objections, if any. In case of any claims or objections kindly intimate the undersigned Advocate in writing to the below mentioned address within 15 days from this present. In absence of any claim within the stipulated time, it shall be deemed that above said property has no claim by virtue of said laminated gift deed.

Place : Bangalore **Date :** 30.06.2026
Sd/- M. Padmashree Advocate
S-1331, Lakshmi Nilaya, Ground Floor,
4th Cross, 4th Main, BEL layout Bharathnagar,
2nd Phase, Bangalore -560091.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that our client, **Mr. Haji Rahamathulla Sheriff S/o Mr. MN Sheriff,** intends to purchase the Schedule Property from **Mr. Simon J S/o Mr. A. Joseph and Mrs. B. Shruthi W/o Mr. Simon J.** The original title deeds pertaining to the Schedule Property are reported untraceable. Consequently, our client is proceeding with the purchase relying strictly upon the **Certified Copies [Sale Deed (18-12-1989):** Registered as Doc No. 5308/1989-1990 at the Sub-Registrar, Bengaluru North Taluk., **Gift Deed (13-03-2018):** Registered as Doc No. KCH-1-05640/2017-2018 at the Senior Sub-Registrar, Gandhinagar and **Sale Deed (04-12-2021):** Registered as Doc No. KCH-1-07057/2021-2022 at the Sub-Registrar, Gandhinagar.]

Any person/s objecting to the proposed purchase or having any right, title, interest, or any type of claim over the Schedule Property—are hereby called upon to file their objections/claims along with valid documentary proof to the undersigned within **7 days** from the date of publication of this notice. Failing this, it will be presumed that the original documents are genuinely lost and our client shall proceed to complete the sale transaction. Any claims made thereafter shall not be binding on our client or the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Western Portion of the immovable Residential Building Comprising of Ground floor, First floor & Second Floor and the property bearing **No.49, e-PID No.2798678144,** New BBMP Municipal No.21, PID No.94-67-21, (Old Khatha No.3694 and property No.2360/3 of Kacharakanahalli Dakhle Kariyanapalya village) situated at **8th main Road, Ramachandrappa Layout Kariyanapalya, St.Thomas Town Post,** coming under the limits of Bangalore North City Corporation (BBMP), Ward No.24-HBR Layout (old ward No.94) Bangalore, measuring East to West **20 feet** and North to South **40 feet** in total all measuring **800 Square feet** with Stand along Building, together with all rights, appurtenances, whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded on the:

East by: Eastern Portion of the same property, West by: Road, North by: Premises built on Site No.50, South by: Road

C.K.V.K. LAW ASSOCIATES
Mr. VENKATESH CHANDRAN M.A., LL.B.
Advocates & Legal Consultants Bangalore-43
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E- Mail: rvlaw.76@gmail.com

KARNATAKA SLUM DEVELOPMENT BOARD
Office of the Executive Engineer, No.2 Division, Mysuru.
Near Highway Circle, Java Factory Road, Mysuru-570001.
Ph.: 0821-2410999, E-mail: ksdb_mys2@yahoo.com

No: KSDB/EE/Mys-Div-2/IFT-2/2026-27/176 Date: 01.07.2026

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (KW-2)
(E-PROCUREMENT PORTAL ONLY)

On behalf of the Commissioner, KSDB, The Executive Engineer, No. 2 Division, Mysore invites tender from eligible Tenderers for "**Construction of 38 (25) Temporary Sheds for Behind Kalikamba Temple Slum Dwellers in Mandya City**" Indent No: KSDB/2026-27/OW/WORK_INDENT456" Tender notification, schedule, specification are available in the website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

1	Last Date & Time for Tender Queries/Clarifications	**04.07.2026** Up to 16.00 hours
2	Last Date & Time for receipt of tenders	**09.07.2026** Up to 16.00 hours
3	Date & Time for Opening of Technical Bid	**11.07.2026** at 11.00 hours

DIPR/CP/1429/SSC/2026-27

Sd/- Executive Engineer
KSDB, No.2 Division, Mysore

ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE

The State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Karnataka (Constituted by MoEF&CC, Government of India) has accorded the Environmental Clearance for the Proposed Mixed-Use Development at Sy. Nos. 78/2, 78/3, 79/6 & 79/8 of Thigalachowdenahalli Village and Sy. Nos. 198/2, 198/3, 198/4, 198/6, 199/1, 199/2, 200/1, 200/2, 201/1, 201/2, 201/5, 202/1, 202/4, 202/5, 203/2, 203/3, 203/4, 203/5, 203/6 & 205 Of Dommasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District by M/s. IINSPIRA Gold County LLP vide No. SEIAA 271 CON 2025 Dated. 06.06.2026. The Copy of the clearance letter may also be seen on the website of MoEF&CC/SEIAA, Karnataka at http://parivesh.nic.in. http://envrionmentclearance.nic.in. http://seiaa.karnataka.gov.in

This Public notice is issued in compliance with the condition laid down in the above-mentioned Environmental Clearance.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client intends to purchase the property described in the schedule hereunder written for valuable consideration from 1) Mr. SUDHAKAR s/o late Ayanna and 2) N. CHANDRA SHEKAR s/o Nagaraj. Any person/s having any claim or objection for the above said transaction may approach the undersigned along with documentary proof within 7 (seven) days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which my client will go ahead with the above said transaction as if no valid and future claims will be subsisting and no one else has any manner of right, claim or interest over the schedule property.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of Residential Immovable Property together with structure standing thereon bearing Site No. 19, old Assessment No. 415/5, new Assessment No. 415/11, Block-3, V.P. Khata No. 415/11/19, situated at BAGALUR VILLAGE, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore. Bounded on EAST by: Site No. 20, WEST by: Site No. 18, NORTH by: Road, SOUTH by: Private Property

Measuring: East to West: 20 feet North to South: 30 feet Totally measuring: 600 sq. ft

KISHWAR HUSSAIN,
Advocate & Notary
Unit No. 122, 1st Floor, Golden Plaza,
No. 11, Jumma Masjid Road,
Bangalore-560051.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client **Mrs. M. JAGADAMBA** W/o Mr. R. Raju is intending to purchase the Schedule property from **Mr. M. RAMESHA,** S/o. late. Munilakshmaiah and the same being acquired vide, Sale Deed dated 08/09/2022 registered as Doc No. DBP-1-08366-2022-23, in Book-I, CD No. DBPD1399, in the Office of Sub-Registrar Doddaballapura.

If any person / firm / institution / company having any claim or right in respect of the Schedule Property is hereby required to intimate in writing to the undersigned within **Seven (07) days** from the date of publication of this notice of his/her/their share or claim, if any, with all supporting documents failing which the transaction shall be completed without reference to such claim and the claims, if any, of such person shall be treated as waived and not binding on my client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable Property bearing **Site No.52,** Old Katha No.113/52, New serial No.179, situated at **Alahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk,** presently bearing **PID No. 15030030220040017 8** and property No.52, now within the limits of Aralumallige Village Panchayath and site measuring East to West **90 feet** and North to South **50 feet,** in all measuring **4500 Sq.ft** and bounded on the:

East : Government Property (Road); West : Property belonging to Sri.Muniyappa; North: Property belonging to Sri.Mallaiah; South : Private Property,

Shivakumar, Advocate
M/s. RASHI LEGAL,
No.1252/2, M.C.Layout, A.Dasarahalli,
Magadi Main Road, Bangalore 560 040
M-9538178060,

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -2 AT BENGALURU
B.S. N.L. Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001

O. A. No. 2011/2023

Between:
INDUSIND BANK LIMITED., Embassy Heights, Block B, 3rd Floor, 13 MC Grath Road, Bangalore-560025., Rep. by its Associate Relationship Manager and Power of Attorney Holder Mr. Tadimarri Chandrashekhar Reddy., **.....Applicant**
And:
M/s. Patil Trading Co., and Others., **.....Defendants**

SUMMONS ISSUED TO DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 BY PAPER PUBLICATION

TO,
D-1 1) M/s. Patil Trading Co., Represented by its Proprietor, No.517, 1st Main Road, 2nd Stage, WOC Road, Mahalakshmi Puram Layout, Bangalore-560086
D-2 2) Mr. Sunil Prakash Patil., S/o Prakash S Patil Aged about 39 years, Proprietor, M/s. Patil Trading Co., No.517, 1st Main Road, 2nd Stage, WOC Road, Mahalakshmi Puram Layout, Bangalore-560086.
D-3 3) Mrs. Daneshwari S Patil., W/o. Sunil Prakash Patil Aged about 32 years, No.517, 1st Main Road, 2nd Stage, WOC Road, Mahalakshmi Puram Layout, Bangalore-560086.

Whereas the applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the Defendant for recovery of sum of **Rs. 42,84,989/- (Rupees Forty-Two Lakhs Eighty-Four Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-Nine Only)** together with current and future interest and for other reliefs.

The above-mentioned defendant is therefore hereby directed to appear before this Tribunal in person or through an advocate, in support of his defense to show cause on **11/08/2026 at 10:30 A.M.** (Forenoon) as to why reliefs prayed For should not be granted.

Take notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of this Tribunal on this the 23rd day of June 2026

By Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal Bangalore.

BHOPAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, BHOPAL (M.P.)

An organization under the control of Urban Development & Housing Department
Govt. of Madhya-Pradesh

No.149/EE-Planning/e-tender/ BDA/2026 **Bhopal, Dated : 01.07.2026**

NOTICE INVITING E-TENDERS

The Bhopal Development Authority (BDA) hereby invites online proposals through e-tendering mode from reputed consultancy firms for: "Selection of Consultant for Survey, Preparation of Feasibility Report, Detailed Project Report (DPR), Architectural Services, Preparation of Tender Documents, Bid Process Management & Other allied services for Town Planning Schemes 213, 214, 215 & 216 under the Bhopal Development Authority (BDA)." The selection process shall be carried out strictly as per the Request for Proposal (RFP) terms and conditions. Online bids are invited from interested and eligible bidders as per the following details.

S. No.	Tender ID	Name of Work	Probable Amount Of Contract (in cr.)	Bid Security (Earnest Money Deposit)	Cost of Bid Document (Excluding GST) Rs.
1.	2026_DTCP_518730	"Selection of Consultant for Survey, Preparation of Feasibility Report, Detailed Project Report (DPR), Architectural Services, Preparation of Tender Documents, Bid Process Management & Other allied services for Town Planning Schemes 213, 214, 215 & 216 under the Bhopal Development Authority (BDA)." Estimated Civil Project Cost: Rs. 1000 Crore.	20.00 Cr. (approx)	10,00,000/- (Rs.Ten lacs only)	Rs. 45,000/- + GST (Rs. Fourty Five Thousand only +GST)

1. The detailed NIT and all other details relating to the Bid Document can be viewed on the website **http://www.mptenders.gov.in**
2. The Bid Document can be purchased and deposit, after making online payment of portal fees and cost of Bid Document at aforesaid website **from 02.07.2026 (17:30 Hrs.) to 15.07.2026 (17:30Hrs).** Other key dates may be seen in bid data sheet.
3. Amendments to the NIT, if any, would be published on aforesaid mentioned portal, and not in newspaper.
4. Any relevant information can be obtained from office of the undersigned during the office working hours & days.

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER (PLANNING)
M.P. Madhyam/126674/2026 **BHOPAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, BHOPAL (M.P.)**

GVK POWER (GOINDWAL SAHIB) LIMITED
Regd. Office: Plot No.10, Paigah Colony, Sardar Patel Road, Secunderabad - 500003. Telangana, India. CIN: U40109TG1997PLC028483
(A wholly owned subsidiary of Guru Amar Das Thermal Power Limited, GATPL)
(A step down wholly owned subsidiary of Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, PSPCL)

HOD - CIVIL, GATP, Goindwal Sahib, invites E-Tender for the Procurement of:

1	**Tender Enquiry No. 171/GATP/CIVIL/50007604 dated 01/07/2026** **1) "CONSTRUCTION OF EIGHT SECURITY POST FOUNDATION WITH MATERIAL FOR 540 MW (02X270MW) THERMAL POWER UNIT OF GVK PGSL GOINDWAL SAHIB"**

For detailed NIT & Tender specifications, please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **01/07/2026** from **17:00 Hrs.** onwards.

Note: Corrigendum and addendum, if any, will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

879/GATP-66/26/01/07/2026
1079/12/2026-27/12859

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government Of India Undertaking)
Head Office: Bangalore

SPECIALISED ASSET RECOVERY MANAGEMENT BRANCH-1
2nd Floor, C.O. Bldg. No.86,
Spencer Towers, M G Road,
Bangalore- 560001. Telefax: 080-25310066,
E-Mail: cb2366canarabank.com

TO BORROWER/ GUARANTOR/MORTGAGOR DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)]

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

'We, **Canara Bank, Bengaluru ARM-1 Branch** had issued Demand Notices under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledgement returned due to non-availability of addressees at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. Further, Bank had served the said demand notices by affixture at the addresses given. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower / Guarantor / Mortgagor : (1) (A) M/s NUV VELLORE LLP, No.10/6, 4th Floor, Lavelle Road, Bangalore-560001. **(b) M/s NUV VELLORE LLP, NH46 (L & T Rest Area), Mottur Village Abdhullapuram, Vellore Tamilnadu, Pin 632010. (2) Mr. Venkata Srikanth Nuvvala (Partner)** Sri Towers Flat No. 401, Sivaji Road, Ayyappa Nagar, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh-520007. **(3) Mr. Kr Ramalingaiah (Partner)** S/o R V Rajagopalaiah, 8-6-6 Kamsalpet Hindupur Anantapur, Andhra Pradesh-515201. **(4) Mrs. Sowmya Mr (mortgagor & Guarantor)** W/o Girijashankar B L, 145, 60 Ft Road, 5th Stage, BEML Layout, Rajarajeshwarinagar, Bangalore-560098.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

SL. NO.	Nature of Loan/Limit Loan No.	Date of Sanction	Amount (Rs.)	Liability as on 01.06.2026	Rate of Interest
1	Term Loan 0887773011866	23.09.2019	Rs. 8,90,00,000/-	Rs. 4,85,61,053.62	14.80

Total Liability Amount: Rs.4,85,61,053.62 (Rupees Four Crore Eighty Five Lakh Sixty One Thousand Fifty Three and Paise Sixty Two Only) together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

NPA Date : 27.03.2025 **Demand Notice Dated : 29.06.2026**

Details of Security Assets :

Name of Title holder : Mrs. Sowmya M R W/o Girijashankar B L

Immovable : All that part and parcel of converted land bearing Sy. No. 240/4 vide Conversion Order No. ALN(S)SR(K)177/2009-10, measuring an extent of 17.22 Guntas (18751 sq ft) out of 30 Guntas situated at Halagevaderahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk and now comes within the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagar Palike, Rajarajeshwari Nagar Sub-Division, Bangalore, vide BBMP Khatha No. 1037/240/4/1 and bounded on : East by : 60 feet road, West by : Sy. No. 241 and remaining portion of Sy. No.240/4, North by : Road and Sy. No. 240/7 and South by : Remaining portion of Sy. No. 240/4.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower / Guarantors / Mortgager including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 29.06.2026 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Canara Bank**

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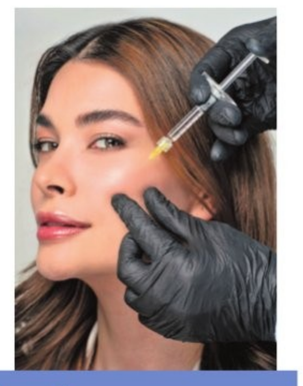

DAY'S DIARY

Out of the world

Since 2001, this day is observed as the World UFO Day, one dedicated to the existence of Unidentified Flying Objects

ITS HISTORY

The day is observed as it is the date of famous Roswell Incident, in which military Air Force surveillance balloon was allegedly crashed by an extra-terrestrial spaceship in 1947

WHAT IS UFO?

The most general definition of the UFO is something that's apparent in the sky that is not identifiable as any known object or natural phenomena

UFO RESEARCH

While statistical estimates range between 5% and 20% as the reported UFO sightings in the year go unsolved or unexplained

In-jections or Out?

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FOOT ON THE FIELD

With FIFA spotlighting women referees, B'luru's national-level women referees share what goes into being a match official

Referee Tori Penso and assistant referees Brooke Mayo and Kathryn Nesbitt, made up an all-woman referee team at the FIFA World Cup 2026

MAHIMA NAGARAJU

WITH just minutes left on the clock, two teams that have dedicated every moment for a chance at the World Cup, tensions and aggression running high, the referee has one job – keep things going smoothly. With Round of 32 matches starting after group stage matches have wrapped up, FIFA 2026 has already given fans plenty of iconic moments. One among them was the match between Czechia and South Africa, refereed by an all-women team (for the second time in FIFA history). For Harsha Saini, one of Karnataka's first national-level referees, the moment was an inspiring one. "It made me feel so motivated to see how well they handled the game. Especially in a male-dominated field, with 22 players and a huge crowd, whatever decision you make, half the stadium will be happy and the other half will be disappointed, and they will react in the same way. The pressure is intense, but having been in similar situations at a much smaller level, it also gives you courage."

Among the handful of national-level women referees from Bengaluru, Harsha as well as Neha M (29), another AIFF National Referee, started off their careers as footballers playing at the collegiate, club and state levels. Refereeing came as a suggestion from their coaches and became something they fell in love with. "I like being a leader and when I became a referee, it gave me the feeling that the field is mine," shares Neha, adding, "I also had a meniscus injury so this was a way for me to stay connected with football."

Bengaluru referee Neha M gives a player a yellow card

While they were already used to the fitness expectations of being players, refereeing brought specialised training and challenges, requiring yearly exams of fitness and theory to keep advancing in the eight-level qualification system. "Our drills are based on game requirements – sometimes, you have to just stand and watch, sometimes jog, sometimes sprint towards an incident. So, we prepare ourselves for flexibility and mobility to move from one place to the other – running sideways, backwards and sprinting," shares Saini (27). To qualify as a referee for different levels of the sport – women's games, men's games and for FIFA, the running speeds and other fitness qualifications, vary.

Despite the positive attention on FIFA's women referees, though, among the 170 officials for the World Cup: 52 centre referees, 88 assistant referees and 30 video assistant referee (VAR) officials, only six are women. In Karnataka too, women's participation in refereeing is low, notes Neha, attributing it to a lack of awareness. "Until I started training, I did not know that it was possible to be a woman referee," she says, adding, "We need more investment, mentoring and training but for that to happen, more women need to come out and express their interest." Neha recently became a mom but is not letting it keep her from the field, planning to get back within a year. Saini agrees but also points out that opportunities are abundant in Bengaluru. "I must have stayed home for just 10 days last year, there are always girls' and boys' matches as well as corporate matches happening in the city."

While fans at home have their eyes on the ball and the players, Saini has half her attention on the ref, constantly noticing and learning – after all, every referee's dream is the FIFA world cup and so is hers. "In every situation, I try and take the decision before they can and then, analyse the calls, how they are reacting, and running," she says. "I've experienced this at a tiny level but I imagine myself experiencing this on a big stage, hopefully someday I end up there," she concludes with a smile." While Indian women have qualified to be FIFA referees in previous editions of the world cup, none has done so from Karnataka... yet.

FIFA referee Tori Penso

The pressure is intense, but having been in similar situations at a much smaller level, it also gives you courage
Harsha Saini, Bengaluru-based referee

Fascinating FIFActs

Check out some bizarre and interesting tales behind the biggest football tournament | **Anjali Ram**

01

No boot needed

During Brazil's match against Poland (1938), legendary forward **Leônidas da Silva** removed his boots and briefly played barefoot before the referee ordered him to put them back on. He later went on to score again in one of the highest-scoring matches in World Cup history.

India's got talent

02

Did you know India almost played all the FIFA World Cups? One enduring myth claims India withdrew from the '50 tourney because FIFA wouldn't allow the team to play barefoot. In reality, FIFA had no such rule. Instead, financial constraints and the team's decision to prioritise the Olympic Games meant India never made the trip to Brazil.

Pup saves the cup

03

Ahead of the 1966 World Cup in England, the original Jules Rimet Trophy was stolen from an exhibition in London, sparking a nationwide police search that turned up nothing. Days later, a black-and-white dog named **Pickles** discovered the missing trophy wrapped in newspaper beneath a garden bush while out on a walk with his owner. Pickles became an international celebrity and was even honoured for his role in solving football's greatest theft mystery.

Nobody keeps the cup

04

After winning their third World Cup title in 1970, Brazil was awarded permanent ownership of the Jules Rimet Trophy. FIFA subsequently commissioned a brand-new trophy, the one the world recognises today, which debuted at the 1974 tournament. Unlike its predecessor, the current FIFA World Cup Trophy never permanently leaves FIFA's possession, with champions receiving a gold-plated replica instead. Ironically, the original Jules Rimet Trophy was stolen once again in Brazil in 1983 and was never recovered.

05

Hand of Go(l)d

During Argentina's quarter-final against England in 1986, **Diego Maradona** scored one of football's most controversial goals by punching the ball into the net with his hand, an infringement missed by officials. Maradona later described it as being scored 'a little with the head of Maradona and a little with the hand of God'. Only minutes later, he dribbled past five players to score what is widely considered one of the greatest goals ever seen at a World Cup.

11-second wonder

06

Turkey's **Hakan Şükür** needed only 11 seconds to score against South Korea at the 2002 World Cup, setting the record for the fastest goal in tournament history – a mark that still stands 24 years later. Şükür retired in 2008.

Octopus who predicted the win

Paul, the Octopus, became a sensation during the 2010 World Cup by predicting the outcomes of Germany's matches and Spain's victory in the finals. Presented with two boxes containing mussels, decorated with competing teams' flags, Paul would choose one to eat from. He correctly predicted 12 out of 14 matches before he passed away in 2012.

07

When half the planet tuned in

08

The 2010 FIFA World Cup reached an estimated audience of 3.2 billion people worldwide, representing almost 46 per cent of the global population at the time. Few events in human history have attracted such a massive audience, with World Cup finals regularly drawing more than one billion viewers.

Ball that talks to referees

09

The official match ball for the 2026 FIFA World Cup, Trionda, is packed with cutting-edge technology. Hidden inside is a tiny 14-gram sensor featuring a 500Hz motion chip that works alongside tracking cameras to provide real-time data to the Video Assistant Referee system. The technology helps officials make quicker and more accurate offside and handball decisions. The sensor is rechargeable and carries enough battery life to comfortably last through an entire match and extra time.

10

The legacy continues

The race for World Cup goals has featured legendary names, including Miroslav Klose, Kylian Mbappé and **Lionel Messi**. During the 2026 tournament, in Argentina's second group-stage match against Austria, Messi moved clear at the top of the all-time scoring charts, surpassing previous records to become the tournament's leading goalscorer.

In Living Colour

Based in Bengaluru, illustrator Muhammed Sajid is documenting Kerala's everyday heroes through a vibrant portrait series that is winning global recognition

SRUTHI HEMACHANDRAN

FROM his Bengaluru studio, illustrator **Muhammed Sajid** spends much of his time thinking about his hometown, Kerala, not its postcard landscapes, but the people who keep everyday life moving. Tea shop owners, bus conductors, fishermen, street vendors and sanitation workers populate Folks From Kerala, an ongoing online illustration series. The project recently earned him a spot on the AOI Awards 2026 shortlist, bringing international attention to coastal stories.

In Bengaluru, Sajid found the space to revisit the series with fresh eyes while being a visual designer. The latest body of work departs from the realism of the original 2018 series, introducing surreal imagery growing from subjects' lives. Sharing the starting point, he says, "I spend time understanding the person's expression, habits, profession and small details that make them unique. From there, I choose objects, colours and visual elements that naturally connect instead of forcing metaphors." Colour became another storytelling device with saturated pinks, electric blues and vivid greens echoing hand-painted lorries, circus posters and neighbourhood signboards.

Being shortlisted for the award affirmed that local stories can resonate far away but the response from viewers who recognise family members, neighbours or familiar faces in his portraits has been equally rewarding. Some have even framed and displayed his work in local shops. "I see it as a sign that the series has connected with people," he says.

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'** Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE* on Thursday.

THE RIGHT ANSWERS ARE

1) Victoria Hospital 2) The Residency
3) Cubbon Road

FIRST THREE TO GET IT RIGHT

1) Sunehra Fatima 2) V Sudhish Pai
3) K Raghavendra Pai

FOCUS FEATURE

SaveIN expands beyond healthcare into $50 bn multi-category premium market

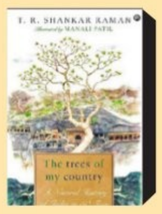
SaveIN, a fintech platform that helps people pay for services through easy EMIs, has expanded beyond healthcare into new categories such as travel, furniture, lifestyle, home improvement, insurance premium financing, and consumer durables. The move aims to make premium products and services more affordable for aspirational Indians.

According to Jitin Bhasin, SaveIN's Founder & CEO, "the 3-in-1 financing platform was always designed around one straightforward conviction: that Indians should be able to access premium services and experiences without having to compromise simply because of the size of the upfront payment. Healthcare was the natural starting point because it is deeply personal, often urgent, and almost entirely out-of-pocket when it comes to elective and outpatient care. But after serving over eight lakh customers across more than 7,500 healthcare partners, the feedback we received from both consumers and merchant partners was remarkably consistent." Jitin adds, "A family planning a home renovation, a young professional buying a laptop for work, a couple deferring a holiday they have been dreaming about, a household skipping an insurance premium renewal because it falls due in a single lump sum -- the underlying problem was identical in every case."

SaveIN Pay Later is currently live across 8,000 retail touchpoints in more than 130 cities and has served customers from over 15,000 pin codes across India, which gives a sense of how far the platform has already reached beyond the obvious metro markets. Jitin says, "We are currently delivering ₹700 crore in annualised loan disbursements and are targeting ₹2,000 crore within the next 12 months, which represents a 3x step-up from where we stand today."

SaveIN works closely with leading banks, including HDFC Bank, ICICI Bank, and IDFC First Bank, multiple NBFCs, and also accepts over 15 credit cards on its platform to provide 3-in-1, fast, paperless and transparent financing options at the point of purchase. The Company has already onboarded leading brands like SOTC, Cashify, Royal Oak, EMotorad, and Duroflex among others in new categories and aims to triple its topline in the coming year.

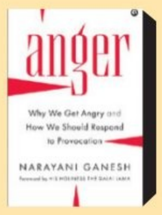
BOOK NOOK



The Trees of My Country: A Natural History of India In 50 Trees

By TR Shankar Raman

A celebration of the trees of India – from the mundane to the magnificent, through evocative word portraits.



Anger: Why We Get Angry and How We Should Respond to Provocation

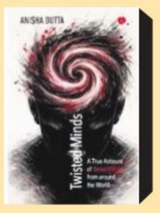
By Narayani Ganesh

The author takes readers on a journey into the nature of anger – what triggers it, why it overwhelms us and more.

Her Story, Her Glory: The Making of Women's Cricket in India

By Aditya Bhushan

This book seeks to trace the remarkable rise of women's cricket in India, from its beginnings in colonial-era exhibition matches to its emergence as a serious sporting movement in the 1970s.



Twisted Minds: A True Account of Serial Killers from Around the World

By Anisha Dutta

The author traces the darkly fascinating lives and crimes of some of history's most notorious criminals.

CAPTURED IN COLOUR

Artist Jaya Sharma (middle) walks visitors through works displayed at Crimson Echoes, an ongoing group exhibition at the Indian Institute of World Culture, Basavanagudi | **NAGARAJA GADEKAL**

QUICKFIX

WHITE SAUCE PASTA

INGREDIENTS

- **Pasta:** 1 cup
- **All-purpose flour:** 250 g
- **Milk:** ½ cup
- **Oil:** 1 tsp
- **Butter, cheese:** 10 g
- **Chilli flakes, salt:** 1 tsp

METHOD

- Boil pasta in a pan with a sprinkle of salt and a drizzle of oil.
- In a pan, melt butter and add a spoonful of all-purpose flour.
- Add milk and mix until the sauce comes together.
- Add salt, chilli flakes and cheese to the sauce.
- Add the boiled pasta, mix and serve hot.

Contributed by **Devishi,** Chennai

MISS-FIT

Wanitha Ashok

The expert is a Fit India Movement Ambassador and celebrity fitness coach

Is it possible to achieve fitness goals exclusively by using dumbbells?

- A pair of dumbbells is enough to build strength, improve muscle tone, lose fat, and enhance overall fitness.
- Dumbbells are incredibly versatile because they allow you to train all major muscle groups through movements such as squats, lunges, presses, rows, deadlifts and shoulder exercises. By gradually increasing the weight, repetitions or workout intensity, you can continue making progress over time.

ASK AN XPERT

- The key is consistent and progressive training, a well-structured workout programme, combined with proper nutrition and recovery. This can deliver excellent results right from the comfort of your home.
- It's recommended to variate the resistance used to prevent muscle memory and challenge the body. Opt for mini bands, physio balls, resistance bands, gym sticks, and medicine balls. These hardly occupy any space and are effective.

FITBIT

YOGA FOR HEALTHY AGEING: FIVE PRACTICES TO TRY

Healthy ageing is not about doing advanced poses or trying to move as you did years ago. It is about maintaining the strength, balance, coordination, and confidence needed for everyday life. Yoga can include simple functional movements performed with attention and steady breathing. These practices can support daily movement, but should complement regular walking or other aerobic activity.

1. MARCHING IN PLACE WITH OPPOSITE ARM SWINGS

Stand beside a wall for support if needed. March gently in place while allowing the opposite arm to swing forward, as it would while walking. Keep the chest lifted and move at a steady pace for 30 to 45 seconds.

2. SUPPORTED HEEL RAISES

Place one or both hands lightly on a wall. Slowly rise onto the balls of the feet, pause briefly and lower the heels with control. Keep the knees soft and avoid leaning forward. Repeat 8 to 12 times.

3. HEEL-TO-TOE WALK

Remain beside the wall. Place one foot directly in front of the other so the front heel nearly touches the back toes. Take 6 to 10 slow steps while looking ahead. Use the wall whenever needed and do not rush.

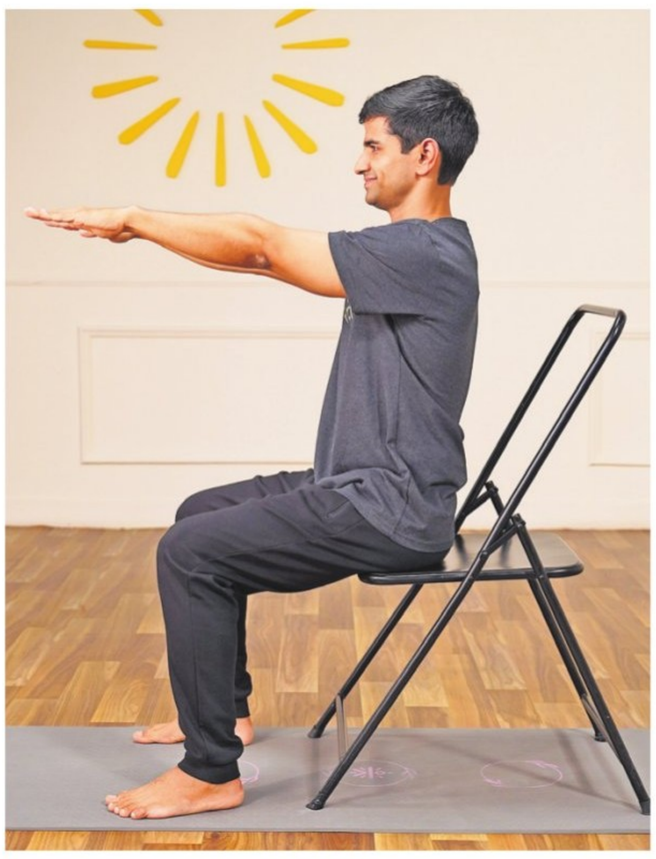
4. WALL PUSH-UP / WALL CHATURANGA VARIATION

Face the wall and place the palms at shoulder height. Step the feet back slightly. Bend the elbows a little towards the ribs and bring the chest closer to the wall. Press back with control while keeping the body long. Repeat 5 to 8 times.

5. CHAIR SQUAT/ SUPPORTED UTKATASANA VARIATION

Stand in front of a sturdy chair with the feet hip-width apart. Move the hips back, bend the knees and lightly touch the chair before standing again. Keep the knees pointing in the same direction as the toes. Repeat 5 to 8 times.

Move slowly, breathe normally and use support freely. Stop if there is sharp pain, dizziness, unusual breathlessness or loss of balance. Seek professional guidance if you have significant joint, heart or balance concerns.



By Naveen Sharma, Yoga Expert at Yoga Circle by Cult – a fitness and wellness platform

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HAVE A RECIPE OR ART WORK TO SHARE, OR A QUESTION TO ASK?

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WHATWHENWHYWHERE

Act it Out

Is humour and satire up your alley? Then watch this Kannada play, *Poli Kitti*, that reflects on human behaviour, social pretence, blind imitation and contradictions in society. Enjoy this 90-minute play that highlights the realities of social issues.

WHEN: July 3, 7pm
WHERE: Kalagrama, Mallathahalli
CALL: 98457 53944

Tradition Overload

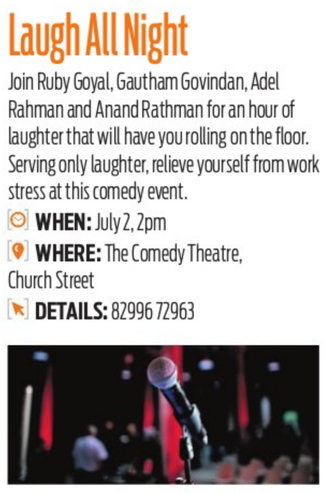
Losing touch with tradition? Look no further and dive into this five-day workshop that will help you get in touch with five traditional art forms. Create home decor and lifestyle products that will add a touch of culture to your decorative pieces.

WHEN: July 2, 10am
WHERE: Hobby Ghar, Seshadripuram
CALL: 95355 55644

Laugh All Night

Join Ruby Goyal, Gautham Govindan, Adel Rahman and Anand Rathman for an hour of laughter that will have you rolling on the floor. Serving only laughter, relieve yourself from work stress at this comedy event.

WHEN: July 2, 2pm
WHERE: The Comedy Theatre, Church Street
DETAILS: 82996 72963



Play Time

Bring your kids to this inclusive, sensory-friendly event designed for neurodivergent and neurotypical children. Let your kids explore 90 minutes of productive play time as you sip on a complimentary beverage.

WHEN: July 2, 11am
WHERE: Skylime - Happy Minds, JP Nagar
CALL: 77955 24306

Fit and Fab

Struggling to lose weight and stay fit? Join this yoga session to improve your flexibility and mobility. Bring your fitness enthusiast friends to enhance focus and concentration, improve posture and body awareness, and create sustainable wellness habits.

WHEN: July 2, 8am onwards
WHERE: Harmony Haaven, HSR Layout
CALL: 95712 08844

Taste of Japan

Take your friends out to indulge in Japanese flavours with this specially-curated menu of dashi mascarpone, bourdain sando, mini don and more. Pair your food with signature cocktails specials at this bar takeover of Idoru by Izumi's Bengaluru debut.

WHEN: July 3, 8pm
WHERE: ZLB23, The Leela Palace, Kodihalli
CALL: 96320 60433

Retro-ing On!

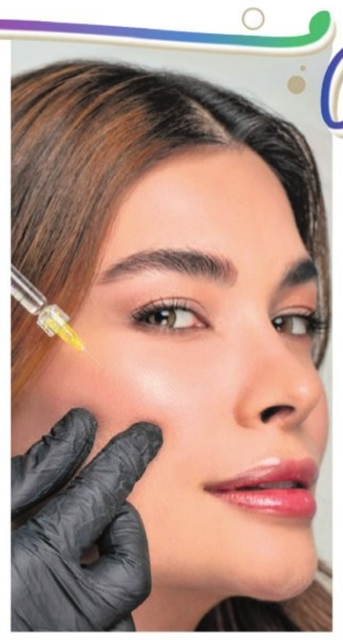
Enjoy a night of nostalgic music with DJ Praxx. With timeless music, dance tracks, food and drinks, have fun with '90s retro tracks to take you back to a time you miss.

WHEN: July 3, 9pm
WHERE: Underdoggs, Whitefield
CALL: 90028 91008

ARTCORNER

A MYTHICAL MANIFESTATION

Artists Vivin and Vaishali from Chennai bring to life Navakunjara – a composite creature rooted in Pattachitra and Odia traditions – believed to symbolise Lord Krishna's Vishwaroopam in the *Mahabharata*



IN-JECTIONS OR OUT?

With the CDSCO's clarification that injectables are medical treatments, experts on what this means for those seeking botox, fillers and other beauty enhancements

MAHIMA NAGARAJU

HYALURONIC acid fillers for plump skin, vitamin IV drips for glow, Glutathione injections for lightening – the options are endless and promises are instant for those in the pursuit of beauty. But as these treatments have gained popularity, so have questionable practices. With the Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation (CDSCO) issuing an advisory stating that the classification of 'cosmetic products' does not include injectables, medical professionals like Dr Surendra VHH, dermatologist, Apollo Hospitals, are welcoming it, saying, "This is a big step in the regulation of injectable cosmetics towards prioritising patient safety, given the risks of unregulated injectables – infections, nerve damage and allergic reactions." Dr Varshini Reddy, founder, Glow Clinic explains, "It reinforces that if something is being injected into the body, it should meet standards expected of regulated medical products. The treatments likely to be affected are products /procedures marketed as 'cosmetic injections'."

Injectable treatments, especially minimally-invasive ones have been gaining popularity, notes Reddy. "There has been increasing demand among younger professionals seeking preventive or subtle enhancements. Popular ones include Neuromodulators for expression lines or wrinkles, Hyaluronic acid fillers for facial contouring, skin booster injectables for bio-remodelling and enhancing skin quality, regenerative treatments such as exosomes and PRP/GFC, as well as IV Glutathione."

However, while clinics and hospitals provide these under doctors' supervision, salons were not, elaborates Dr Chytra V Anand, founder, Kosmoderma Clinic. She says, "Platelet-Rich Plasma (PRP) procedures involve drawing blood, extracting growth factors and injecting it back for hair loss. Because these come in kits, barbers and unregistered salons were doing this too. Polynucleotides (salmon sperm) and exosomes are applied topically but people were injecting it. IV drips too can only be given at a clinic but these were being provided at gyms and salons." She adds, "We were seeing adverse reactions in patients. There's a risk of allergic reactions – rashes, swelling or even angioedema in severe cases which hinders breathing."

With the CDSCO's advisory, there's been short-term panic in the cosmetology space, note doctors, but in the long term, they anticipate this being a step in creating a stronger foundation.

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CHANGE OF NAME

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We, **Prathima,** W/o Naveena S.D., aged about 29 years and **Sri. Naveena S.D,** S/o. Doddarangaiah, aged about 35 years, both are residing at: Shambonahalli Village, Kuramkote, Tumakuru-572138. Hereby declare that, We have changed our minor Son's (D.O.B. 13.12.2023) name from **'AVYAN GOWDA'** to **'YESHWIN GOWDA'**, vide Affidavit dated 29.06.2026, Sworn before Advocate and Notary Anitha Bai, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME), BASHEER AHMED, Residing at No: 139, 2nd Floor, 1st Main Road, 9th C Cross 2nd Right, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, R T Nagar Post, Bangalore-560032, have changed my Name from **(OLD NAME) BASHEER AHMED to (NEW NAME) B BASHEER AHMED,** Vide affidavit dated 01.07.2026 sworn before Notary Leela., Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VARSHINI,** D/o Chethan Kumar M A, aged about 18 years, R/aNo.1334/1, 6th Cross, 10th Main, Srinivasanagar, Bangalore-560050 have changed my name to **VARSHINI C,** vide affidavit dt. 01/07/2026before Notary **S.I. Balaguru,** Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **HARIOM KESHAV,** S/o B.K. Maharaj, age 31 years, R/at No. 10, Shreyas Colony, th Main, 12th Cross, JP Nagar 7th Phase, Bengaluru-560 078, permanent address No. 164, Near Sharanabasveshwara Temple, Honnakirangi, Afzalpur, Gulbarga-585306 do hereby declare that both the names of my son i.e. **SHASWAT ANAND KESHAV** and **ASHWIK HARIOM KESHAV** are one and the same and refers to me only, vide affidavit dated 01-07-2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **P.N. NAGESHA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **TRIVENI SHIVAKUMARA,** W/o Shivakumara Giriyapura Karisiddappa, age 45 years, R/at No.4808, Sunnybrook Dr, Plano, Texax 75093, United State of America, presently R/at No.G-1, Jayanthi Garden Apartment, Block-4, 9th Main, J.P. Nagar, I Phase, Bengaluru-560078 do hereby declare that both the names i.e. **TRIVENI SHIVAKUMARA** and **BOODUGADDE TRIVENI RAJASHEKAR** are one and the same and refers to me only, vide affidavit dated 29th June 2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **T.C. THIMMARAJA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Mohamed Fazil Pasha Moosa, S/o. T K Sab, age about 54 years, Residing at No 19/B, 2nd Floor 65/25, 11th Cross, Mahboob Layout, Umar Nagar Govindapura Bangalore 560045.
I have changed my name to
MOHAMMED FAZIL
vide affidavit dated 30/06/2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary Meer Hassan, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE No.JC-312521Y, SUB, S SELVA RAJ, residing at New # 16, Old #52, 14th Cross, P & T Colony, Cholurpalya, Magadi Road, Bengaluru PIN: 560023, KARNATAKA State, Have Changed my **(OLD NAME) S SELVA RAJ** to **(NEW NAME) S SELVARAJ** Vide Affidavit Dated 25.06.2026 Sworn Before Notary S.I. BALAGURU BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **LIZZY THALACHIRA JOHN,** W/o. T.A. Johnson, resident of No. 52, Liz-View, 3rd Main, Brindavan Nagar, Thavarekere, D.R.C. Post, Bangalore-560029, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **LIZZY JOHNSON** to **LIZZY THALACHIRA JOHN,** vide affidavit dated 30.06.2026, sworn to before V. Rajashekhara, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **GAYATHRI RANGANATHAN LALGUDI** (Old Name), Residing at No A 2128, Block N. G M Infinite. E City town, Neo Town, Thirupalaya, Bengaluru 560099, have changed my name to **GAYATHRI RANGANATHAN** (New Name), vide affidavit dated: 1/7/2026 Before Notary **Sivakumara.M.N** Bangalore

AFFIDAVIT
I, **K C NAGARAJU** S/o Chikkamuthegowda, age 46 years and HARSHITHA B S, w/o K C Nagaraju, age 35 years, R/at No. 18, SFHS Saraswathipuram Main Road, Near Pampa Shoes, Nandini Layout, Bangalore-560 096 do hereby declare that my son's correct name is **HITESH GOWDA K N,** but in his birth certificate, his name is wrongly mentioned as **HITHESH GOWDA N** instead of **HITESH GOWDA K N,** vide affidavit dated 01-07-2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **RATNA .N** at Bangalore.

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I, Sanjay Bajaj, S/o Ganesh Mal Bajaj, aged about 53 years, Residing at Sobha Daffodils, Flat 5094, Sector 2, HSR Layout, Somsandrapalya, Bengaluru – 560102 have changed my name From **SANJAY BAJAJ** to **SANJAY KUMAR BAJAJ** vide affidavit dated: 29.06.2026 sworn before Advocate & Notary K.V BACHI REDDY Bangalore. Henceforth I shall be called as **SANJAY KUMAR BAJAJ** only.

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I, Baby Tabassum, W/o. Muneer Khan, age about 35 years, Residing at No 45/10, Madras Soap Factory Road D J Halli A C Post Bangalore - 560045.
I have changed my name to
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vide affidavit dated 30/06/2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary Meer Hassan, Bangalore

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I, (OLD NAME) NEHA BHUWANIA residing at No.Flat A 806 SV Signature, ITPL Main Road, Rajapalya VTC Hoodi, PO: Hoodi, Bangalore East, Bengaluru-560048, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) NEHA BHUWANIA to (NEW NAME) NEHHA BHUWANIYAA** vide affidavit dated 27.06.2026 sworn before Notary G.B.Turamari., Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VINAYA PRAVEEN KUMAR,** aged about 41 years, W/o. Mr. Praveen Kumar J, residing at Vipraja, 1st Floor, House No. 21, 2nd Cross, New Layout, Bodanahosahalli Village, Samethanahalli Post, Bangalore-560067, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **VINAYA .G** to **VINAYA PRAVEEN KUMAR,** vide affidavit dated 01.07.2026, sworn to before Gangaraju .B.N, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **CAMBAL SIDDALINGAIAH PRABHAVATHI,** W/o Nagendra Prasad .N.S, age 57 years, R/o No. 1122, Pranava, 3rd Floor, 80 Feet Road, BSK 6th Stage, 2nd Block, HDFC Bank, Kariyanapalya, Konanakunte Post, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru-560 062 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **PRABHAVATHI NAGENDRA PRASAD** (old name) to **CAMBAL SIDDALINGAIAH PRABHAVATHI (new name),** henceforth I shall be known and called as **CAMBAL SIDDALINGAIAH PRABHAVATHI** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 01-07-2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **B. HANUMANTHARAYA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **NAGENDRA KUMAR S,** R/o No. 1203, Fort Extension, Near Water Tank, Varthur, Bangalore-560087 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **NAGENDRA KUMAR** (old name) to **NAGENDRA KUMAR S** (new name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **NAGENDRA KUMAR S** (new name) for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 29-06-2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **A.M. RAJASEKAR** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, KANCHAN SHYAMLAL SEN, Aged about 33 years, D/o Shyamlal Sen, residing at Flat No.404, Gladiola Gardenia, 2nd Cross Road, BDS Layout, Dr.SRK Nagar, Kothanur, Bengaluru - 560077, have changed my name from **KANCHAN SHYMLAL SEN** to **KANCHAN SHYAMLAL SEN,** vide affidavit dated 30/6/2026 sworn to before S R Ravikumar Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SAKINA KACHHI, W/o Murtaza Ali Asagarbhai Laxmidhar, residing at No.6, 16/1, Flat No.301, 3rd Floor, Relizant Royale Apartment, Pattanagere Main Road, Kalasipalya, Bangalore-560002, Karnataka,
I have changed my name to
SAKINA MURTAZA LAXMIDHAR
vide affidavit dated 01/07/2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary Lakshmaiah, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) RSEETAN BEGAM,** mother of No.16125604F, HAV, ALAM SHAH, residing at Chhateni (Vill), Areli (Post), Shahjahanpur (Dist), UTTAR PRADESH (State), PIN: 242407, Have Changed my name to **(NEW NAME) RASITAN** And **DOB** from **12.06.1964** to **01.01.1960** Vide Affidavit Dated 30.06.2026 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MAHABOOB KHAN ABBAS** S/o. Abbas Khan, residing at No.11, 2nd floor, 8th main, old gurappanpalya, Bannerghatta main road, Bangalore-560027, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **MAHABOOB KHAN ABBAS** to **MAHABOOB KHAN,** vide affidavit dated 29.06.2026, sworn to before N. Nagappa, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MADHUSUDAN N** (Old Name) Residing at No.6,1st B Cross, Near Byadralli Police Station Anjananagar. BENGALURU, 560091 Karnataka, have changed my name to **MADHUSUDHAN NARASANNA** (New Name) vide affidavit dated: 1/7/2026 Before Notary **Sivakumara.M.N** Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Gia Gilbert,** C/o Roshini Goveas, aged about 18 years, residing at Bren Imperia, Wing 4, Flat No. 1303, Shubh Enclave, Harlur road, Varthur Hobli, Sarjapur, Bangalore South, PO HSR Layout, Bengaluru, Karnataka – 560102, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **GIA GILBERT** to **GIA GILBERT GOVEAS,** vide affidavit dated 01/07/2026, sworn before **Veena K.,** Advocate and Notary Public, Bengaluru.

I, **MITHIL KULKARNI,** S/o of DATTATREY VISHWANATH KULKARNI, state that my father's name DATTATREY VISHWANATH KULKARNI, DATTATREY V KULKARNI & DATTATREY KULKARNI are one and the same belongs to him only.
I, hereby submit that in future for all purpose I continue my father's name as **DATTATREY VISHWANATH KULKARNI.**
Sworn before Notary
Ratna. N. vide Affidavit
Dated 25-06-2026.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SREEJA C. K. W/o Satish M.K,** aged about 52 years residing at # 103, Modigarden, 4th cross, J.C.Nagar Post, Bangalore-560006,
do hereby declare that
SREEJA C. K. and SREEJA CHATHOTHUKANDY
refer to one and the same person ie., myself only. vide affidavit dated 30/06/2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary Venkatesha Patavardhana, Mysore Dist

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) BUVANESHWARI S,** mother of No.16125127L, NK, RAJA S, residing at #8/165, M Reddiapatti (Vill), M Reddiapatti (Post), Aruppukottai (Tehsil), Virudhunagar (Dist), TAMIL NADU (State), PIN: 626118, Have Changed my name to **(NEW NAME) BHUVANESWARI** And **DOB** from **12.04.1967** to **15.01.1969** Vide Affidavit Dated 30.06.2026 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MUSTARY BEGUM**
W/o. Mahaboob Khan, residing at No.11, 2nd Floor, 8th Main, old Gurappanpalya, Bannerghatta main road, Bangalore-560027, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **MUSTARY BEGUM** to **MUSTHARY BEGUM,** vide affidavit dated 29.06.2026, sworn to before N. Nagappa, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **CHANDRAKALA,** D/o Late Siddaramaiah, W/o Gangadharappa D, age 55 years, R/at No.53, 2nd Cross, 1st Main, defence Layout, Bagalagunte, Nagasandra Post, Bengaluru-560 073 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **CHANDRAKALA GANGADHARAPPA** to **CHANDRAKALA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **CHANDRAKALA** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 2nd June 2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **K. RAMEGOWDA** at Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT
I, FAHIMUNNISA, W/o Salim Pasha, aged about 47 years, residing at No.30/2, Hegganahalli, Bangalore North, Viswaneedam, Bangalore 560091 That NASREEN BANU, HEENA BANU and AFRIN UNNEESA S alias AFREEN UNNISA are my daughters, AFRID PASHA S and FARDEEN PASHA S are my sons, in their educational records, name of mother i.e., my name is recorded as NAFEEZ UNNISA.That the above said names i.e., FAHIMUNNISA and NAFEEZ UNNISA refer to one and the same person i.e., myself only. vide affidavit dated 27.06.2026 sworn before Notary R.S.Vijay

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SAYEEDA BEGUM, W/o Ahmed Jan, aged about 73 years, R/at No. 139/C, C Block, 4th Cross, Rashad Nagar, Noble Street, Arabic College, Bangalore-560 045, have changed my name from **SYEEDA BEGUM** to **SAYEEDA BEGUM,** vide affidavit dated 29/6/2026 sworn to before K V Bachi Reddy Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SALLY VARGHESE,** (D-O-B: 20/02/1966), W/o. Shri. VARGHESE CHERIAN ETTIYARIL, residing at "God's Villa", No.197, Maple Meadows, 2nd Phase, 6th Cross, Gollahalli, Chikkagubbi, Kothanur Village, Bengaluru-560077, Karnataka India, have changed my name from **SALLY VARGHESE** to **SALLY VARUGHESE CHAMATHACKAL,** vide affidavit dated: 01/07/2026, sworn before Notary Public, **T. C. THIMMARAJA,** Bangalore. Henceforth, I shall be known as **SALLY VARUGHESE CHAMATHACKAL** for all future purposes.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) NAGARATNAMMA,** mother of No.16115477K, HAV, GANESHA K N, residing at Kudlur (Vill), Besur (Post), Somwarpet (Taluka), Kodagu (Dist), KARNATAKA (State), PIN: 571231, Have Changed my name to **(NEW NAME) NAGARATHNAMMA** And **DOB** from **01.07.1970** to **12.09.1970** Vide Affidavit Dated 30.06.2026 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PRADNYA NILESH DASARI,** W/o Nilesh Dasari, age 48 years, R/o D1010, Brigade Gardenia, R.B.I. Layout, Near Capital School, J.P. Nagara 7th Phase, Bengaluru-560 078 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **PRADNYA NARASAYYA MITHAPELLI** (old name) to **PRADNYA NILESH DASARI** (new name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **PRADNYA NILESH DASARI** (new name) for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 30-6-2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **G. DAYANANDA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MALATHI** Residing at No.10, 4th Floor R.K.House New Bank Colony, Konanakunte Bangalore-560062 have changed my name to **MALATHI CHIKKANNA RAMU** vide affidavit dated: 1/7/2026 Before Notary **K.V.Mani** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Nathan Gilbert,** C/o Roshini Goveas, aged about 18 years, residing at Bren Imperia, Wing 4, Flat No. 1303, Shubh Enclave, Harlur road, Varthur Hobli, Sarjapur, Bangalore South, PO HSR Layout, Bengaluru, Karnataka – 560102, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **NATHAN GILBERT** to **NATHAN GILBERT GOVEAS** vide affidavit dated 01/07/2026, sworn before **Veena K.,** Advocate and Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, PRANJAL MUNSHI S/o Manoj Munshi, aged about 21 years, resident of Flat No. 1221, Block-C, Parimala Sunridge, Opp D-Mart, Siddapura, Varthur Main Road, Whitefield Post, Bangalore-560066 have changed my name from **"PRANJAL MUNSHI"** to **PRANJAL MANOJ MUNSHI.** vide affidavit dated 01.07.2026 sworn to before Indira S. S. Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SAGAR VITHAL TUKARAM Father of No: 8038080K Rank: NK Name: SAGARE SACHIN VITTHAL Permenent residing at Gaurgaon, Gaurgaon Sangli, Maharashtra 416312 Current residing at Pioneer Corps Training Centre MS Nagar, Bengaluru -560033
have changed my name from
SAGAR VITHAL TUKARAM to VITTHAL TUKARAM SAGARE
vide affidavit dated 29/06/2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary Uday Kumar. K, Bangalore

DECLARATION
I, VIMALA JAYANTHI, wife of No. JC-441926F, SUB, M ARUL SELVA KUMAR, residing at #11, Marthalli, Chamrajanagar, Kollegal, KARNATAKA 571444, Have Changed my **DOB** from **10.04.1980 to 01.01.1981** Vide Affidavit Dated 30.06.2026 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ARUNA JAIN,** W/o Sri Ramesh .B Jain, age 40 years, R/at No. 38/2, 2nd Floor, 1st Main Road, 2nd Cross, Robertson Block, Ramachandrapuram, Srirampuram, Benglauru-560 021 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ARUNA KUMARI .P** (old name) to **ARUNA JAIN (new name),** henceforth I shall be known and called as **ARUNA JAIN** (new name) for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 30-06-2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **ONKARAPPA .N.R** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Smt. BHAGYASHREE** D/o Chandra Shekar Joisa @ Jois, W/o Late Ananthakrishna Karaba, age 57 years, rat No.20, Ground Floor, 1st Main, 1st Cross, Hosakerehalli Extension, Banashankari III Stage, Bengaluru-560 085 do hereby declare that after my marriage I have changed my name from **BHAGEERTHI JOIS** to **BHAGYASHREE,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **BHAGYASHREE** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 30-06-2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **V. SRINIVASA REDDY** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Rhiann Gilbert,** C/o Roshini Goveas, aged about 18 years, residing at Bren Imperia, Wing 4, Flat No. 1303, Shubh Enclave, Harlur road, Varthur Hobli, Sarjapur, Bangalore South, PO HSR Layout, Bengaluru, Karnataka – 560102, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **RHIANN GILBERT** to **RHIANN GILBERT GOVEAS,** vide affidavit dated 01/07/2026, sworn before **Veena K.,** Advocate and Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SUNEETHA T K W/o SURESHA V,** Residing at # 15, Kundana Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, Karnataka - 562110. have change my minor daughter name from **VAISHALI S** to **VAISHNAVI S** vide affidavit dated : 01.07.2026 sworn to before Advocate and Notary S.P. Gandhi (Reg No. 12259), Devanahalli.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, VANDANA Mother of No: 8038080K Rank: NK Name: SAGARE SACHIN VITTHAL Permenent residing at: Gaurgaon, Gaurgaon Sangli, Maharashtra 416312 Current residing at Pioneer Corps Training Centre MS Nagar, Bengaluru -560033
have changed my name from
VANDANA to VANDANA VITTHAL SAGARE
vide affidavit dated 29/06/2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary Uday Kumar. K, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) SADIKHA BANU,** residing at No.55, 1st Main, 3rd Cross, Vayunandana Layout, Kempapura Hebbal, HA Farm Post, Bangalore-560024, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) SADIKHA BANU to (NEW NAME) SADIKA BANU** vide affidavit dated 30.06.2026 sworn before Notary Leela., Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VARUN KUMAR H M,** S/o Muniraju H V, age 33 years, R/t No. 16/12, 7th Cross, Dairy Circle, Bhavani Nagara, Bangalore-560 029 do hereby declare that I have changed my daughter's name from **HAVEESHAA VARUN** to **HAVEESHAA SAMRITHI .V,** henceforth she shall be known and called as **HAVEESHAA SAMRITHI .V** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 30-06-2026, sworn before Advocate and Notary **M. PRABHAKAR** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MOHAMMED MUDASSAR** (Old Name) S/o **S.A. SHAFIULLA** Residing at No 5, Khatha, No 34/2, GF, 20th C Cross, Aradhana Layout, Ejipura, Viveknagar, Bengaluru – 560047 have changed my name to **S. MOHAMMED MUDASSAR** (New Name) vide affidavit dated: 1/7/2026 Before Notary **Meer Hassan** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I Army No: 15321476L HAV (JEEM) **SATHISH ADDEPALLI** residing at H NO 6-8, VILLAGE- ANNAVARAPULANKA, ANNAVARAM, ANNAVARAM, GUNTUR, ANDHRA PRADESH - 522301. I Here by declare that as per my Army Record My Mother's Name Is Wrongly Recorded as **RAJAKUMARI,** I want change her Name from **RAJAKUMARI** to **ADDEPALLI RAJAKUMARI** and DOB from :01/07/1965 to 01/01/1964.This is here by declared in front of Notary Advocate **FAHIM UNNISA** vide dated 1/07/2026

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) SHIVA KUMAR, residing at No.310, 2nd Floor, Mahaveer Palms, Near Abhaya Anjaneya Temple, Kodichikkanahalli, Bengaluru 560076, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) SHIVA KUMAR to (NEW NAME) SHIVA KUMAR LOKAIAH NAIDU** vide affidavit dated 01.07.2026 sworn before Notary V.Rajashekhara., Bangalore.

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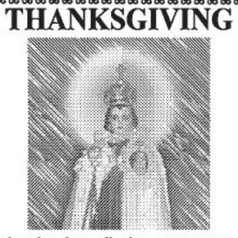
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Dear Heart of Jesus. in the past. I have asked for many favors. This time. I ask you this very special favor (mention favor). Take it dear Heart of Jesus, and place it within your own broken heart where your Father sees it. Then in his merciful eyes it will become your favor. not mine. Amen. Say this prayer for 3 days, promise publication and favor will be granted. no matter how impossible. Never known to fail. Thank you for the favors, graces and blessings received, seeking continous blessings on my family always Amen
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Ganesh

‘I never wanted long gaps between releases’

As he celebrates his birthday today, Ganesh opens up about his two-year release gap, the four films lined up next, and why patience is an essential part of an actor’s journey

CE FEATURES

FOR an actor who once made it a habit of arriving on the big screen at least twice a year, the last two years have been unusually quiet for Ganesh. Since *Krishnam Pranaya Sakhi*, audiences haven’t seen a new Ganesh film in theatres. Yet, the actor hasn’t been idle. Four projects are complete or nearing completion, and ahead of his birthday on July 2, Ganesh says he is just as eager as his fans to return to cinemas.

The actor, who recently attended the song launch from the Kannada-Tulu bilingual family entertainer Picture/Picchar, produced by Shilpa Ganesh under the Golden Movies banner, says that’s one question he hears almost everywhere he goes: “Where have you been? What’s happening?” With Kannada cinema going through a challenging phase and even star-led films releasing less frequently, many have wondered why none of Ganesh’s completed projects has reached theatres.

“The planning is underway. *Brinda Vihaari* is likely to release first, and Pinaka is also complete. Both films should arrive this year,” he says. The delay, he explains, has more to do with the scale of the films than a lack of work. While projects like Pinaka have taken longer due to their ambitious production schedules, Ganesh has continued to listen to new stories and plan his next move. “I currently have four films on hand. Once they release, I’ll begin work on new projects,” says Ganesh.

The actor also shares that the range of stories in his upcoming films is quite exciting. While Pinaka is a fantasy, *Brinda Vihaari* explores human relationships, *Yours Sincerely Ram* is a journey film, and *Tamma Sukhagamana Bayasuva* is a family drama. He also has a film with director *Arasu Anthare* in the pipeline. “I never want long gaps between releases. My wish has always been to have at least two films a year. But sometimes things don’t go according to plan. When a film is mounted on a bigger scale, it’s difficult to dictate timelines. As actors, we can only request. The final decision rests with the makers.”

Even *Brinda Vihaari*, despite being ready, continues to wait for the right release window. “The team is looking for the best possible date. For me, every date is a good date. I don’t fear competition from any film,” he says, adding that a birthday-week release would have been special, but technical reasons pushed the film further ahead.

The prolonged wait, he admits, has been frustrating. “I expected another film within eight months of *Krishnam Pranaya Sakhi*. Instead, it has taken much longer. As an actor, that disappoints me too.” Yet, there is no bitterness in his voice. If anything, the wait has reinforced his belief that cinema is a collective effort. “Sometimes you have to think from the producer’s perspective as well. Delays happen. But more films should be made, and more films should reach audiences.”

For Ganesh, this birthday comes with one simple wish: to return to the big screen and reconnect with the audience that has been waiting just as patiently as he has.

GRAMAAYAANA IS ROOTED IN EMOTIONS THAT REFUSE TO AGE: VINAY RAJKUMAR

A SHARADHAA

As *Gramaayaana* gears up for its release on July 3, Vinay Rajkumar opens up about why village stories remain timeless, and director Devanuru Chandru’s conviction that kept the project alive

THERE are films that get delayed and lose their moment. Then there are films that bide time waiting for the right moment. *Gramaayaana*, directed by Devanuru Chandru, belongs to the latter. The project has taken years to reach the screen, but Vinay Rajkumar never walked away from it. “I heard the story a long time ago, but when I look at it today, it still feels relevant. At no point did *Gramaayaana* feel outdated. I always believed it was a story worth telling.”

For Vinay, the film isn’t driven by nostalgia. It is rooted in emotions that refuse to age. “It speaks about friendships, parents, love, relationships, and above all, a person’s bond with his village. Anyone who has grown up in that atmosphere will relate to it. That’s what keeps it fresh.”

His character is named Sixth Sense Seena, but Vinay says what convinced him wasn’t just the role, but the director’s conviction. “Even before the film was officially on, Chandru had lived with the script. He went on recce trips, conducted extensive research, and worked with Gopal Krishna Deshpande during development. Everyone wanted the film to come out in the best possible way,” says Vinay, adding, “We spent time in villages, met people, and listened to the real incidents Chandru had written into the screenplay. Those conversations became part of our workshops. Every actor and technician worked with extra love because everyone believed in the film.”

Coming after *Pepe*, another rural drama, *Gramaayaana* could invite comparisons. Vinay, however, believes no two villages are alike.

“India is made up of villages, and every village has its own identity. Even within Karnataka, every place has its own culture, food, clothing, dialect, and micro-culture. You cannot treat every village as the same,” says Vinay, sharing that the story emerged from Chandru’s observations of his native Devanuru. “The nuances may change from village to village, but the emotions remain the same. There is friendship, romance, family, and even the village itself becomes a character. It is a commercial film told with an artistic sensibility.”

Talking about his biggest lesson from the film, Vinay says, “Today, most young people move to cities. When you visit many villages, you mostly see older people. It made me wonder if, in another two generations, some villages might disappear.” In fact, this concern has quietly shaped the film’s social layer. “If villages can create employment and opportunities, people may choose to stay. That social responsibility exists in our film, even though it never preaches.”

Spanning the years between 2007 and 2013, Vinay insists that *Gramaayaana* does not belong to just one protagonist and comprises various roles played by actors including Megha Shetty, Yogi, Gopal Krishna Deshpande, Achyuth Kumar, among others. “*Gramaayaana* is not just Sixth Sense Seena’s story. It is the village’s story,” says Vinay, adding that the script also found admirers at home, including his father Raghavendra Rajkumar, and brother Yuva Rajkumar. “My father especially liked the script. My doddappa, Shivarajkumar, too, visited the sets and has been looking forward to the film’s release.”

Gramaayaana, backed by Naveen Manoharan under Lahari Films, is set to hit screens on July 3, and Vinay says the film reaffirmed what he enjoyed most about filmmaking. “Some stories don’t survive because they are timely; they survive because the people they speak about continue to exist,” signs off Vinay.

Vinay Rajkumar

Megha Shetty

The village atmosphere was very exciting: Megha Shetty

Talking about her role in *Gramaayaana*, Megha Shetty says, “When the director narrated it to me, I could see his vision for my role of Kusuma. Since it is a real story, he had seen such a character in his village, and wanted to bring that through me.” She adds that the preparation was detailed and immersive. “I worked on the body language, style and expressions. We did workshops and prepared before the shoot. The village atmosphere itself was very exciting. I learnt a lot in the fields, even buffalo behaviour, and there were physical tasks involved, as well,” says Megha, adding, “I had a lot of help from co-artists. Every actor and technician gave me support, and that helped me through this film and will help in my future work.”

To understand India, we have to understand villages: Gopal Krishna Deshpande

Gopal Krishna Deshpande, known for his versatility, says he begins imagining his character only after stepping into the role since he is not the writer. He plays MLA Sadanand Swamy in *Gramaayaana*, and says it was the authentic writing that drew him in. “The story brought us together. It connects to every part of Karnataka.” He says the approach is rooted in collaboration and restraint. “We should not imagine too much of a character in advance, because the director already has a vision. I depend on the writing, the director, and the actor opposite me.” On the film’s larger idea, he adds, “India represents villages. To understand Bharath, we have to understand villages.” Highlighting preparation and process that goes behind his performance, the actor says, “Workshops help us understand the role beyond dialogues. It is about creating a space for the character. Every film should come from the director’s point of view. The uniqueness comes from the writing, even if stories are retold like Ramayana and Mahabharatha.”

We backed *Gramaayaana* for the story, not economics: Naveen Manoharan

The novelty of the story is the main reason we backed *Gramaayaana* after UI, says producer Naveen Manoharan, adding that Lahari Films has always focused on strong content. “Even with UI, it was content-led. With *Gramaayaana*, it is a village story, and the story itself brought everyone together.” He says the film was driven by passion rather than economics. “Mounting a film is about what the script demands. If you only look at economics, you end up cutting corners. Chandru was very detailed and prepared, even in costumes.” Naveen adds that filmmakers must avoid formula thinking. “Many directors fall into a comfort zone after their first film. Cinema needs freshness; you cannot repeat the same pattern.” Explaining his production choices, he says, “We should not judge films only by satellite or digital value. It is always about the story.” He also praises the team’s effort, noting Vinay Rajkumar’s preparation. “He was so thorough with the dialect he hardly needed a dialogue sheet,” says Naveen, who also credits the cast and crew for capturing the world of *Gramaayaana*.

AK next titled *Mupapa*

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AYUSHMANN Khurrana’s next film has been titled *Mupapa*, a joint production by Yash Raj Films and Posham Pa Pictures. The film is being directed by Sameer Saxena, known for creating series like Maamla Legal Hai (2024-26) and Kaala Paani (2023). The upcoming film marks the second production by YRF’s CEO Akshaye Widhani. The makers also confirmed on Wednesday that *Mupapa* is scheduled for a theatrical release on February 19, 2027. According to a press release by the makers, *Mupapa* is expected to be a “genre-bending theatrical film and it will deliver an incredibly new visual experience for people in theatres.” Ayushmann was last seen in Pati Patni Aur Woh Do, which also starred Sara Ali Khan, Wamiqa Gabbi, and Rakul Preet Singh.

Yash’s *Toxic* lets its women be the talking point in new glimpse

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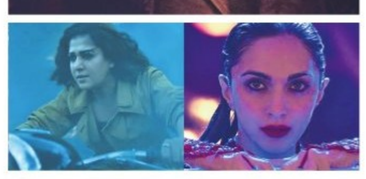
WHILE Yash’s towering presence and Geetu Mohandas’ stylised vision have defined the film’s campaign so far, the women of Toxic: A Fairytale for Grown-Ups have remained the biggest mystery. Nayanthara, Kiara Advani, Tara Sutaria, Rukmini Vasanth and Huma Qureshi have appeared only in fleeting glimpses, enough to spark intrigue without revealing where they fit into the story.

With ‘Ladies & Ladies’, that mystery has begun to unravel, and in doing so, the world of Toxic feels bigger and has stirred massive anticipation. The teaser opens with a tongue-in-cheek disclaimer: “Kids... stay away. Parents... make sure your kids stay away. Grandparents... make sure your kids’ kids stay away. Great grandparents... at your own risk.” The dialogue establishes the film’s rebellious identity.

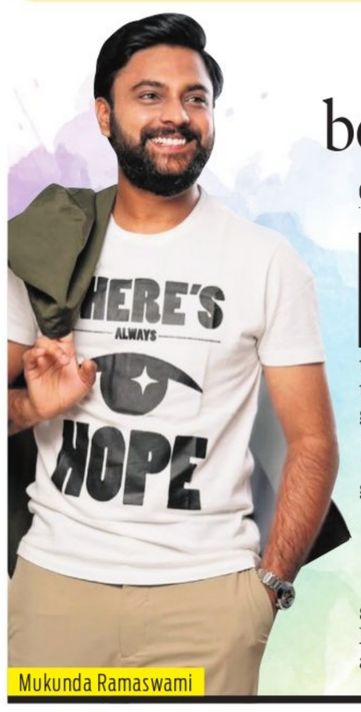
What follows is less of a character reveal and more of an invitation into the minds of the women who inhabit this world. A haunting female voice-over declares, “Love makes monsters of women. It is a beautiful illusion, if one understands the depth of its deception,” setting the tone for a teaser steeped in love, betrayal and power.

One by one, the ensemble steps into the spotlight. Nayanthara radiates quiet authority. Kiara Advani is magnetic and melancholic. Tara Sutaria carries an effortless confidence. Rukmini Vasanth appears amid explosive action, her glimpse paired with the line about “fighting for the scraps of devotion,” while Huma Qureshi’s brief appearance hints at a character with steely resolve.

The teaser is careful not to explain itself. Instead, it pieces together a world of love, lust, violence and vengeance, asking, “Do you want to come one at a time, or all together?” before culminating in one final declaration: “Every lady is a plot twist.” Produced by KVN Productions and Monster Mind Creations, the film has been shot simultaneously in Kannada and English and will also be dubbed in Hindi, Telugu, Tamil and Malayalam.



Nagarjuna gave wings to my dream of becoming an actor: Mukunda Ramaswami



Mukunda Ramaswami

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FOR Mukunda Ramaswami, *Love Seasons* is more than a debut. It is the fulfillment of a dream that began when a four-year-old boy sat in a theatre in Tirupati and was captivated by Telugu superstar Nagarjuna. “I was fascinated by his screen presence, his swag and the way he carried himself. He gave wings to my dream of becoming an actor,” recalls Mukunda, adding, “From then on, I worked towards that goal.”

Recognising his son’s passion, Mukunda’s father, NR Manjunath, backed his dream and has turned producer to launch him in director Kruthwik’s *Love Seasons*, which releases on July 3. Given his admiration for mass entertainers, a romantic debut may seem like an unlikely choice. But Mukunda says the film’s emotional depth mattered more than its genre. “It may look like a love story on the surface, but I wanted my first film to offer something fresh. I kept asking myself what I could bring to audiences that felt different,” he says, adding that the search wasn’t easy. “I listened to nearly 25 or 30 scripts before *Love Seasons*. None of them connected with me. What stood out in this film was its content and realistic approach. That’s what convinced me.”

According to Mukunda, romance is only one layer of the story. “Can a love story be content-driven? Maybe. But *Love Seasons* is really about life’s journey. It’s about relationships, values and emotions that everyone can relate to.”

As the film heads to theatres, the newcomer has one request for audiences. “I want people to come in with an open mind. Don’t judge a film because it has newcomers. Watch it for the story. If they connect with the emotions and the journey, that will be the biggest success for us.”